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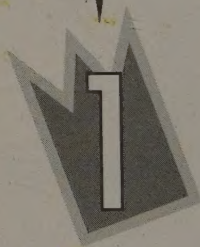
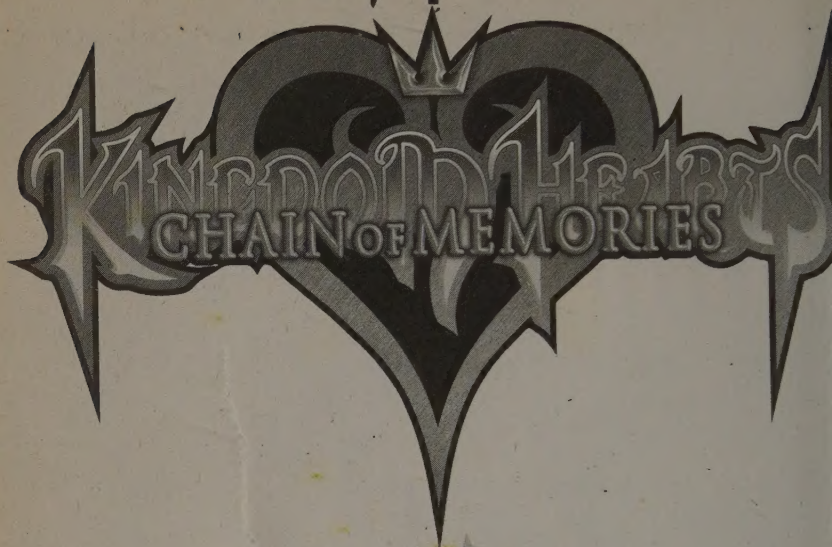
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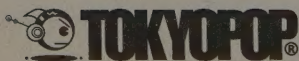
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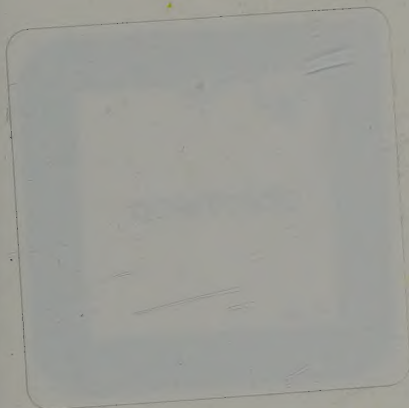
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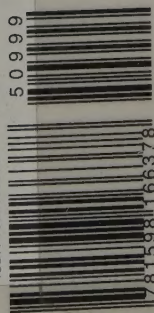


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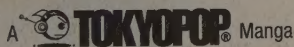


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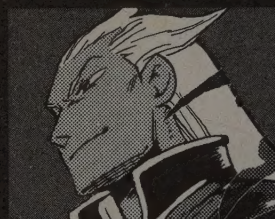
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## King (Mickey)

King of Disney Castle. He is missing together with Riku.



## Ansem

The "Seeker of Darkness" who hid in Riku's heart to control him.

## Organization XIII Members

### Zexion

No. 6 in the Organization

Leader of the Underground Members. Meticulous by nature, the word is that he's a surprisingly domestic type!



### Lexaeus

No. 5 in the Organization

Administers the underground together with Zexion and Vexen. Avid puzzler.



### Vexen

No. 4 in the Organization

Oldest member of Castle Oblivion. But not necessarily respected by the younger members...



### Larxene

No. 12 in the Organization

Cold-blooded, temperamental and vicious. Once she flies off the handle, there's no stopping her.



### Marluxia

No. 11 in the Organization

Lord of Castle Oblivion who loves flowers. It seems he's plotting something...



### Axel

No. 8 in the Organization

Mysterious individual who appears before Sora from time to time and leaves little bits of advice.



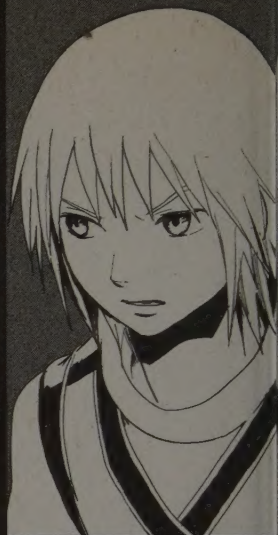
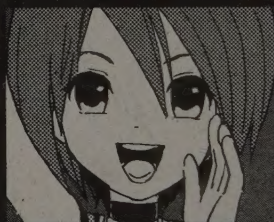
## Naminé

A mysterious girl who is quietly drawing pictures alone in one of the castle rooms.



## Kairi

Sora's childhood friend. She's waiting on the island for Sora to return.



## Riku

Sora's best friend. He closes the door from the inside together with the King, and gets left behind in the world of darkness.

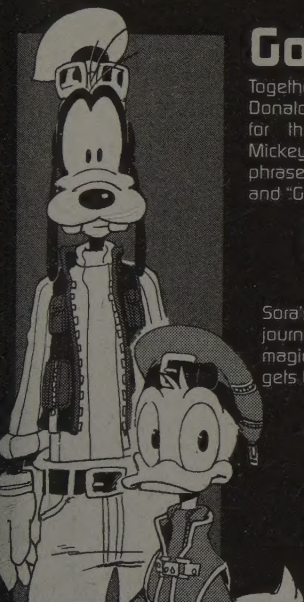
Underground Members

Aboveground Members



# Sora

A boy chosen by the Keyblade—the key for saving the world. In search of his missing friend Riku, Sora continues his journey to return to his Destiny Islands home.

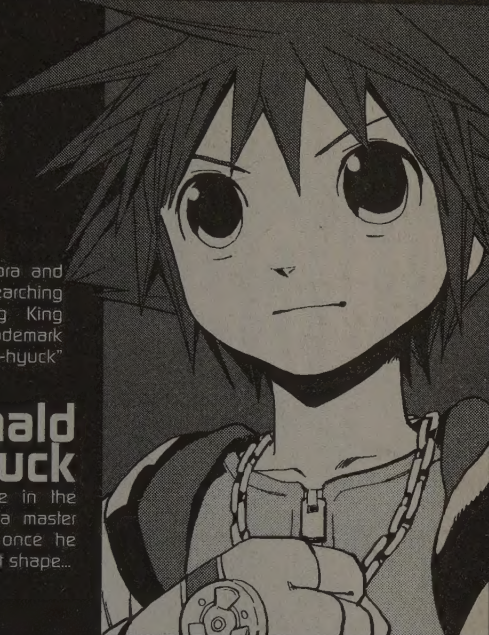


## Goofy

Together with Sora and Donald, he is searching for the missing King Mickey. His trademark phrases are "A-hyuck" and "Gawsh."

## Donald Duck

Sora's comrade in the journey. He's a master magician, but once he gets bent out of shape...



# C H A R A C T E R & S T O R Y

**S**ora, the main character of this story, lives peacefully on the Destiny Islands together with his friends Riku and Kairi. One night, his island home is besieged by a mysterious storm and Sora and his friends are separated and whisked away to faraway worlds. Sora searches for Riku and Kairi in an unfamiliar place known as Traverse Town, but leads toward finding his friends are scarce. There he meets Donald and Goofy who are searching for their missing King, and Sora joins them, and together they search for their lost friends.

After a long journey that takes them across numerous worlds, Sora and friends find Kairi at last, and they also find Riku and the King on the other side of the door to darkness.

But strange things are happening on the other side of the door. Numerous Heartless are trying to get to the outside worlds through the door. To save all worlds, Sora must use his Keyblade to close the door to darkness, even though Riku and the King are on the other side. Sora locks the door, believing the King's parting words—that there will always be a door to the light—and that he will reunite with them no matter what.

One heart fulfills all hearts.  
All hearts lead to the same heart.  
"Kingdom Hearts."

A place where the mighty heart lives.  
And where darkness is endlessly deep...



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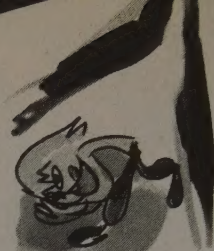
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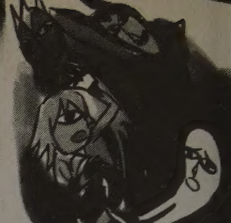




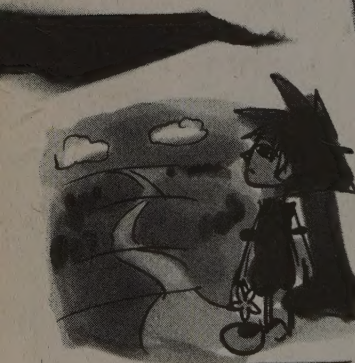
THE BOY WAS  
ABLE TO LOCK  
THE LAST DOOR  
WITH THE HELP  
OF HIS FRIEND  
WHO DEFEATED  
THE DARKNESS.



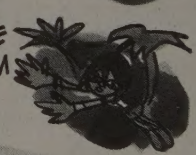
HE LOST HIS  
BODY AND HIS  
SOUL WAS LEFT  
BEHIND ON THE OTHER  
SIDE OF THE DOOR,  
AND HIS HEART BEGAN  
HOVERING BETWEEN  
LIGHT AND DARKNESS.



IN ANOTHER  
PLACE, A LOST  
FRIEND WAS  
ABOUT TO BE  
SWALLOWED  
BY DARKNESS,  
BUT HE ALSO  
HAD THE POWER  
TO OVERCOME  
DARKNESS.

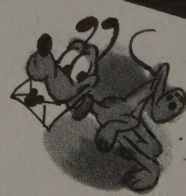


AFTER HIS  
JOURNEY,  
THE BOY SAID  
GOODBYE TO  
HIS FRIENDS AND  
ENDED UP IN A  
STRANGE PLACE  
FAR AWAY FROM  
HOME.

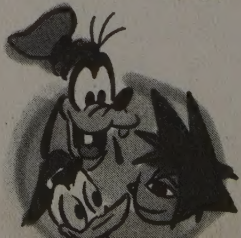



AND  
HE HAD  
HOPE.

BUT THE  
BOY HAD  
FRIENDS.

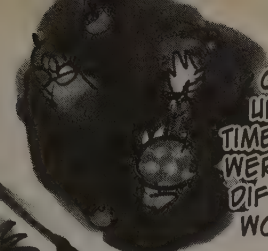


CLUES FOR  
FINDING HIS  
FRIEND ON THE  
OTHER SIDE OF  
THE DOOR CAME  
AND WENT.






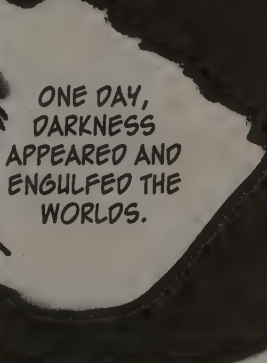
EACH WORLD  
WAS LOCKED  
AND DID NOT  
INTERMINGLE.



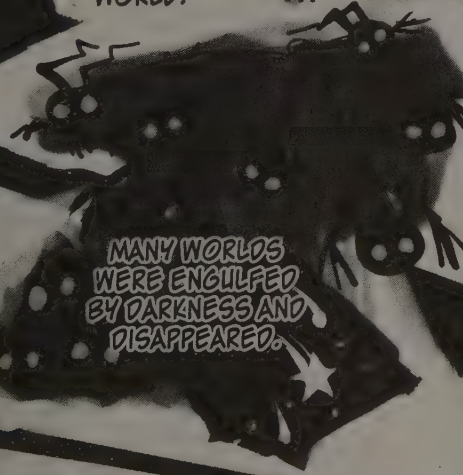
ONCE  
UPON A  
TIME, THERE  
WERE MANY  
DIFFERENT  
WORLDS.



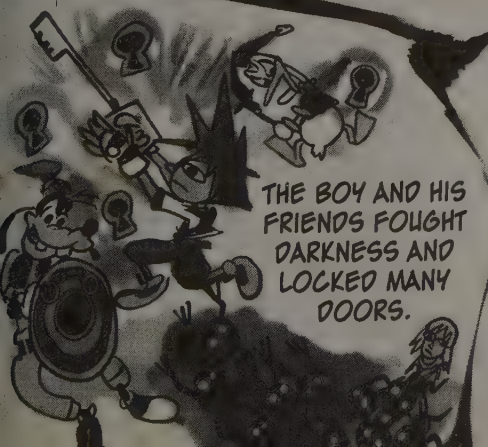
THREE  
CHILDREN  
WANTED TO  
ESCAPE AND  
SEE THE  
OUTSIDE  
WORLD.



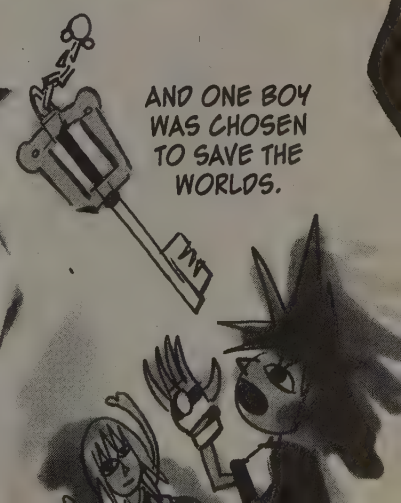
ONE DAY,  
DARKNESS  
APPEARED AND  
ENGULFED THE  
WORLDS.



MANY WORLDS  
WERE ENGULFED  
BY DARKNESS AND  
DISAPPEARED.

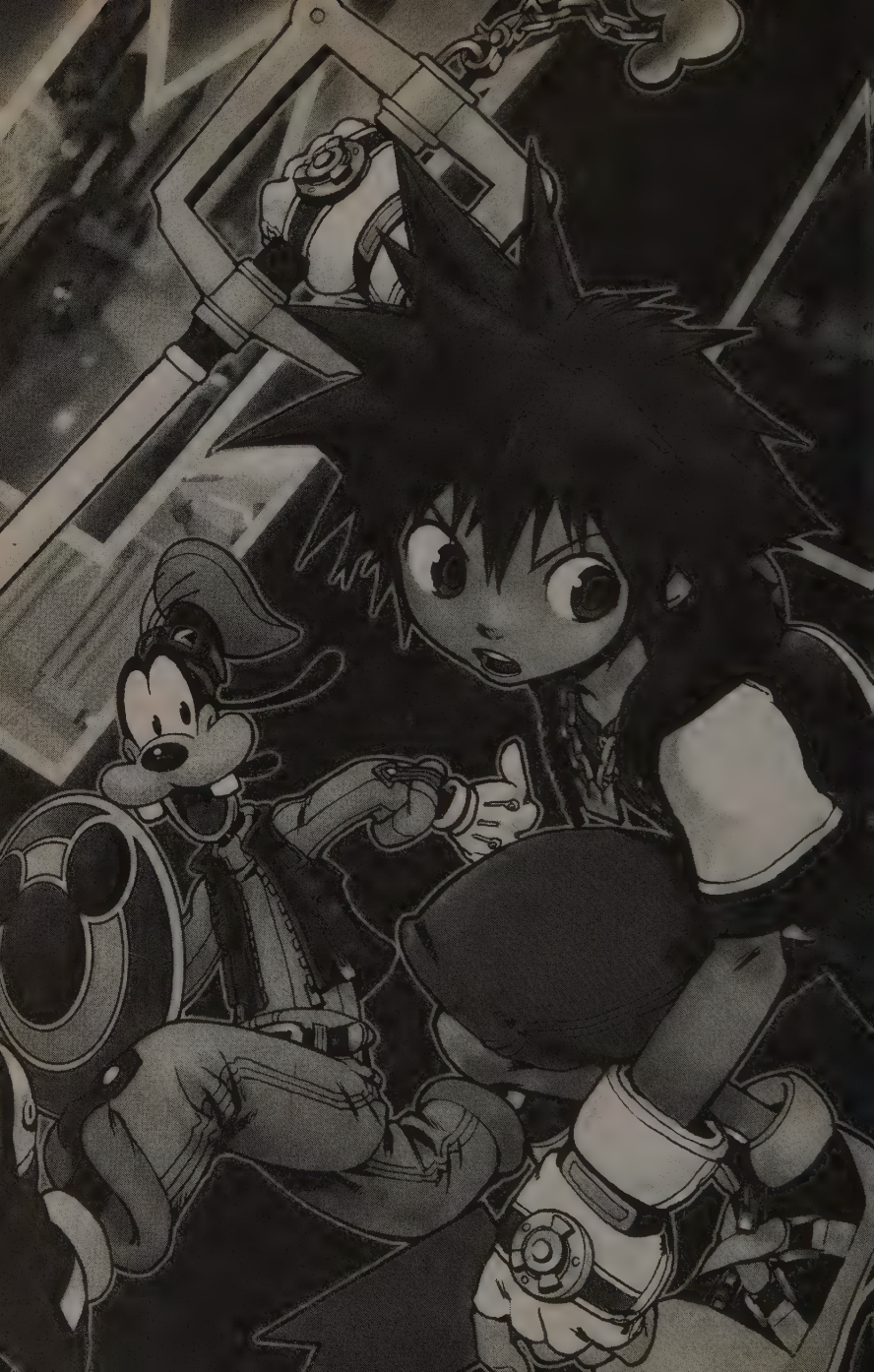


AND ONE BOY  
WAS CHOSEN  
TO SAVE THE  
WORLDS.



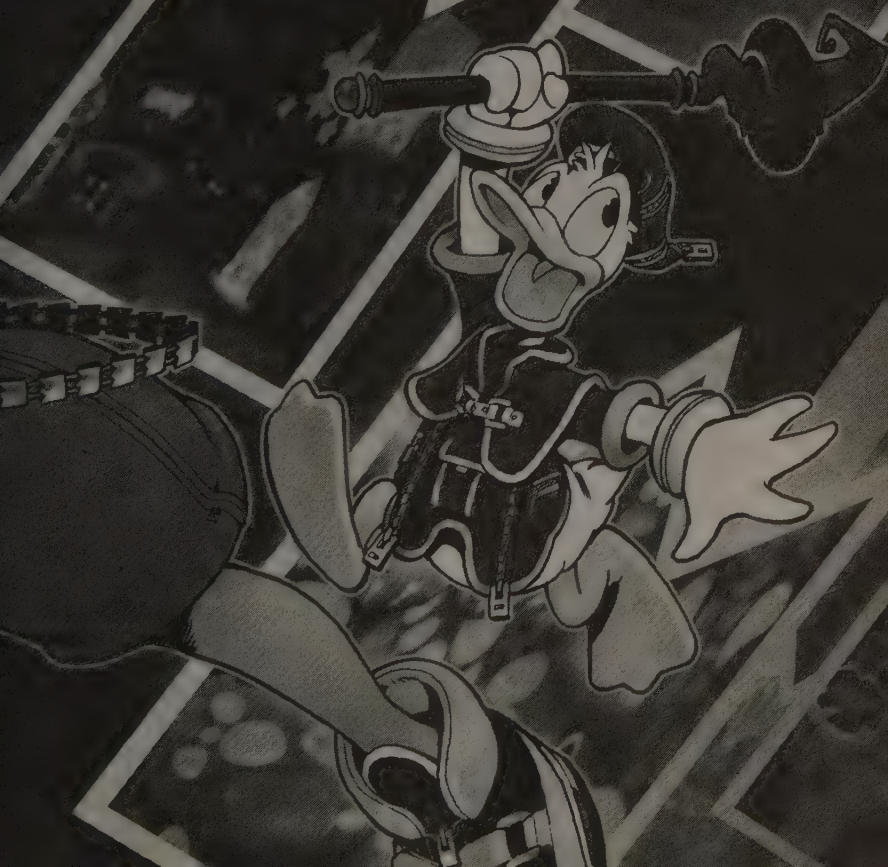
THE BOY AND HIS  
FRIENDS FOUGHT  
DARKNESS AND  
LOCKED MANY  
DOORS.

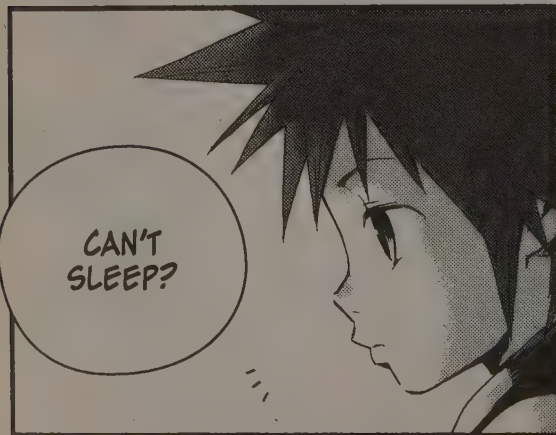
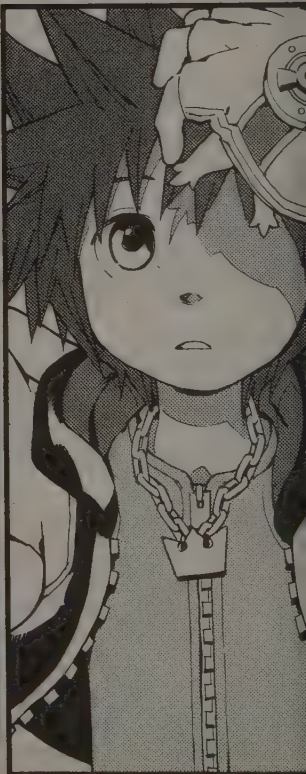
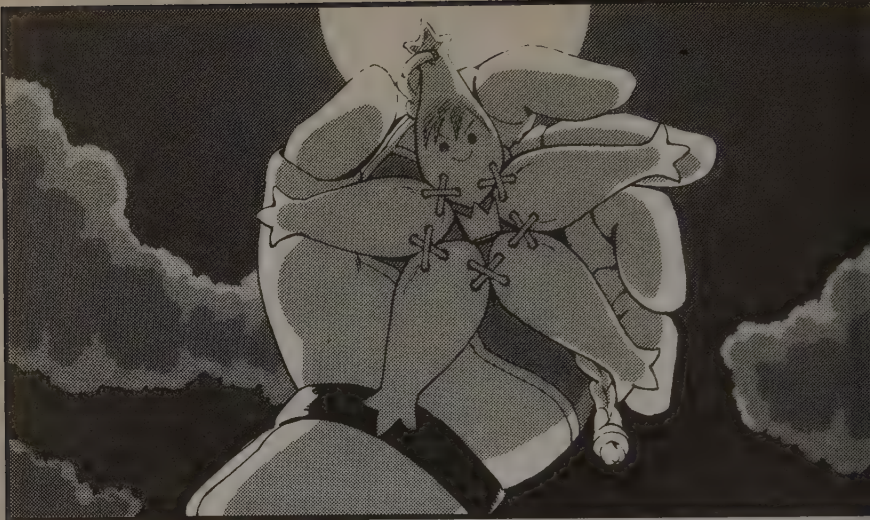






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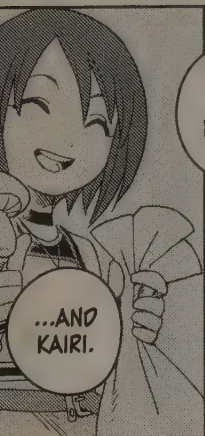






WE WANTED  
TO SEE THE  
OUTSIDE  
WORLD.

BACK  
ON THE  
ISLAND...



ME,  
RIKU...

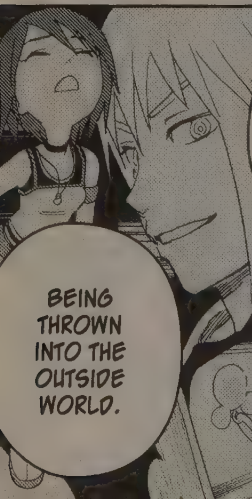
...AND  
KAIRI.



...THE  
THREE OF  
US BUILT A  
RAFT.



BUT  
I NEVER  
IMAGINED AN  
ADVENTURE  
LIKE THIS.

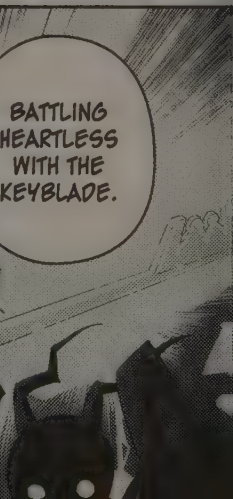


GETTING  
SEPARATED  
FROM RIKU  
AND KAIRI.

BEING  
THROWN  
INTO THE  
OUTSIDE  
WORLD.



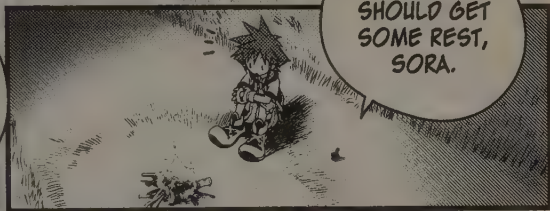
BATTLING  
HEARTLESS  
WITH THE  
KEYBLADE.



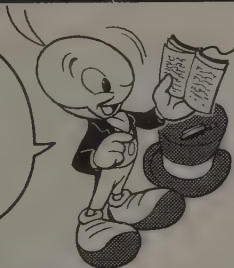




YOU TOO,  
JIMINY.



YOU  
SHOULD GET  
SOME REST,  
SORA.

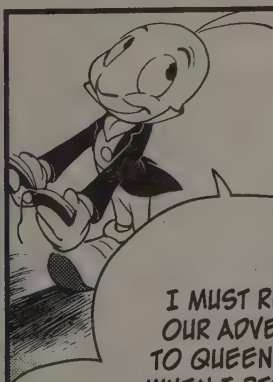


...IN MY  
"JIMINY  
MEMO."

I'M WRITING A  
RECORD OF OUR  
JOURNEY...

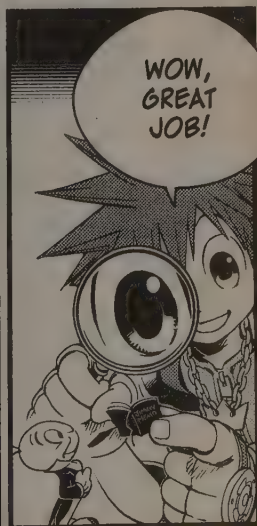


I'M  
ALL  
RIGHT.




I MUST REPORT  
OUR ADVENTURE  
TO QUEEN MINNIE  
WHEN I RETURN TO  
THE CASTLE.

IT'S MY  
MISSION AS  
CHRONICLER.



WOW,  
GREAT  
JOB!



DO YOU THINK  
I'LL GET TO GO  
BACK TO MY  
WORLD?

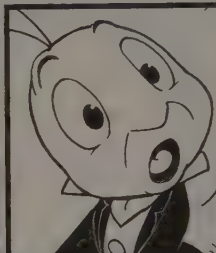
JIMINY...




YOU  
PROMISED  
YOUR GIRL-  
FRIEND,  
RIGHT?



CHEER  
UP.



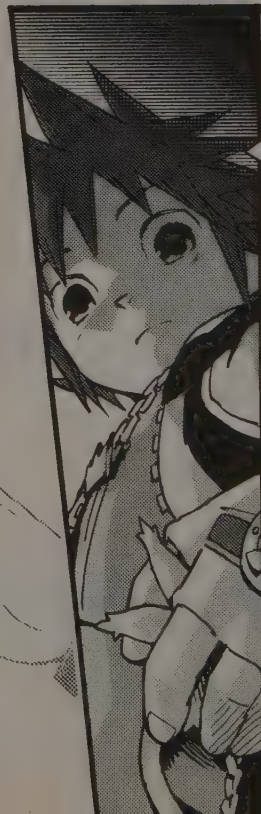
OF  
COURSE!



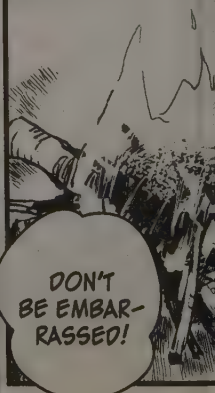
I'LL  
COME  
BACK TO  
YOU.



I  
PROMISE!

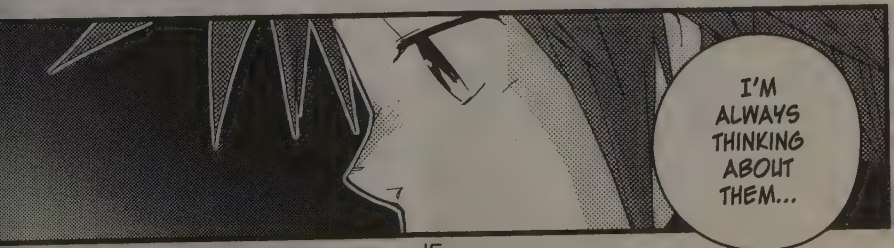
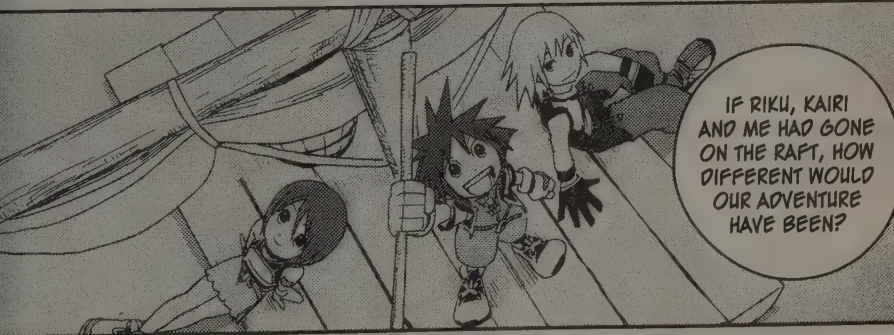
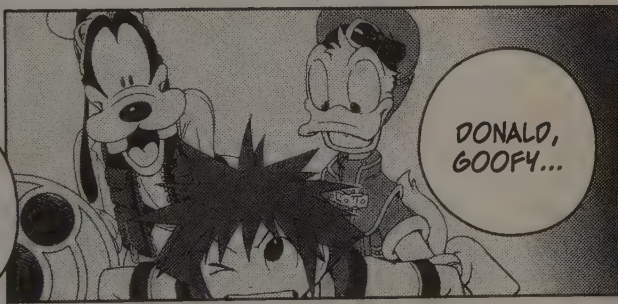
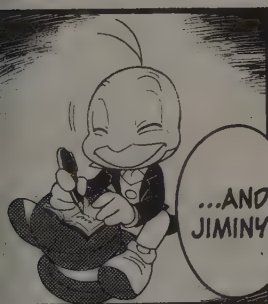


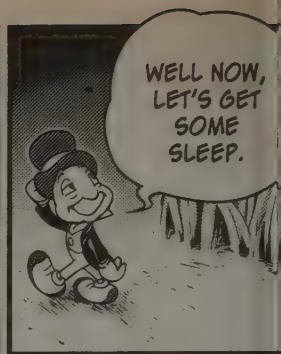
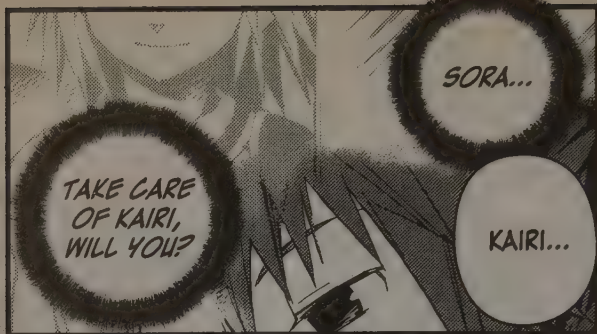
IT'S  
NOTHING LIKE  
THAT--!



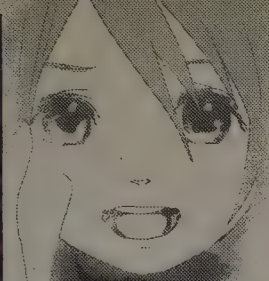
DON'T  
BE EMBAR-  
RASSED!





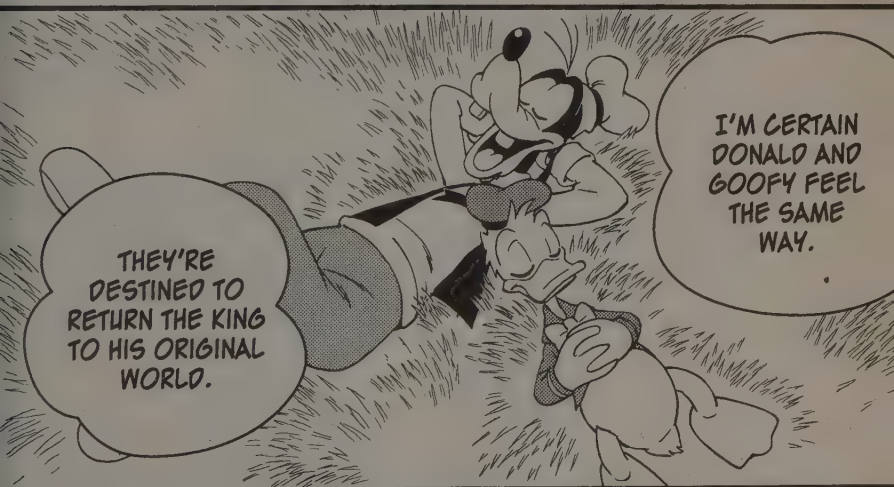
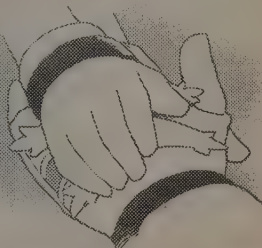






I KNOW  
YOU  
WILL!

AND BE  
SURE TO BRING  
MY LUCKY  
CHARM BACK  
TO ME!

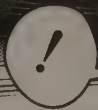


THEY'RE  
DESTINED TO  
RETURN THE KING  
TO HIS ORIGINAL  
WORLD.

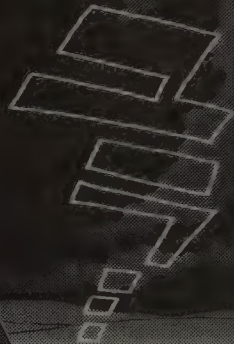
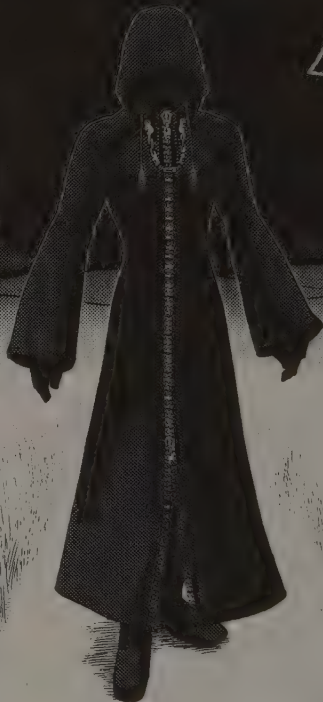
I'M CERTAIN  
DONALD AND  
GOOFY FEEL  
THE SAME  
WAY.



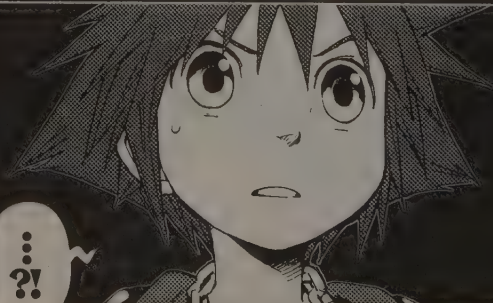
AND YOU  
HAVE TO RETURN  
TO YOUR ORIGINAL  
WORLD TOO,  
SORA.

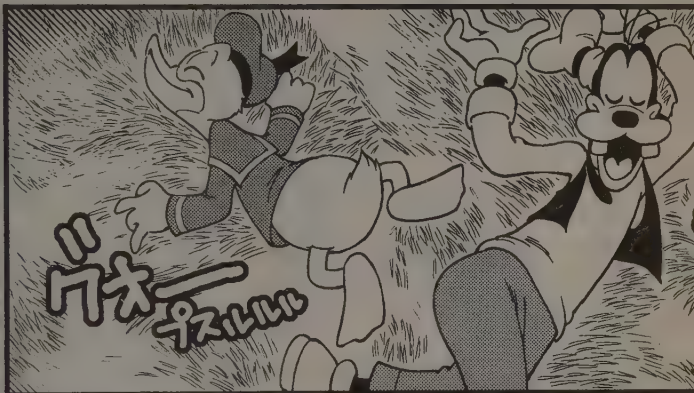


AHEAD LIES  
SOMETHING  
YOU NEED.

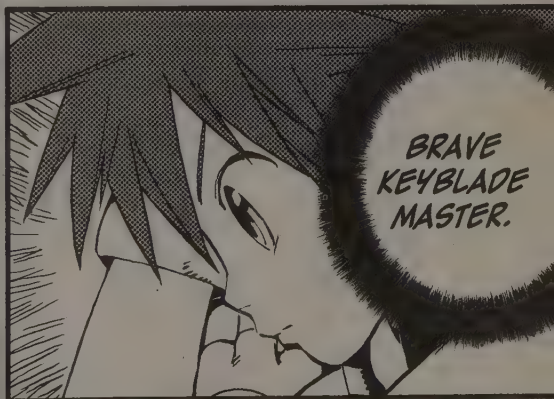


BUT  
TO CLAIM  
IT...





I'LL HAVE  
ANOTHER  
CHEESEBURGER  
PLEASE,  
A-HYUCK.



BRAVE  
KEYBLADE  
MASTER.

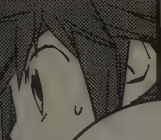


WHO'S  
THERE?!

...








...YOU  
MUST LOSE  
SOMETHING  
DEAR.





BEHIND  
YOU.



WH--

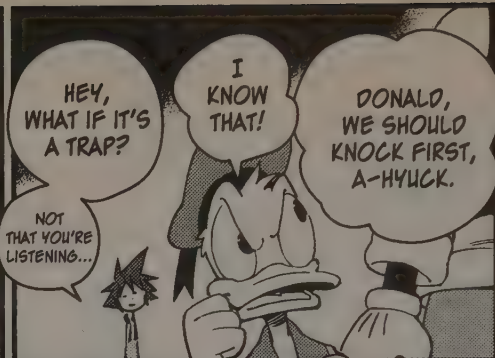


HEY,  
WAIT!



CAN I HAVE  
EXTRA KETCHUP  
FOR MY FRIES,  
TOO?  
A-  
HYUCK.

SNIFF

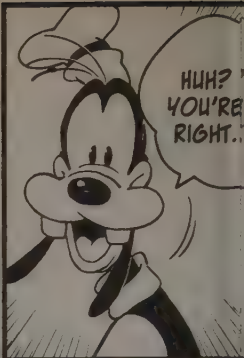


HEY,  
WHAT IF IT'S  
A TRAP?

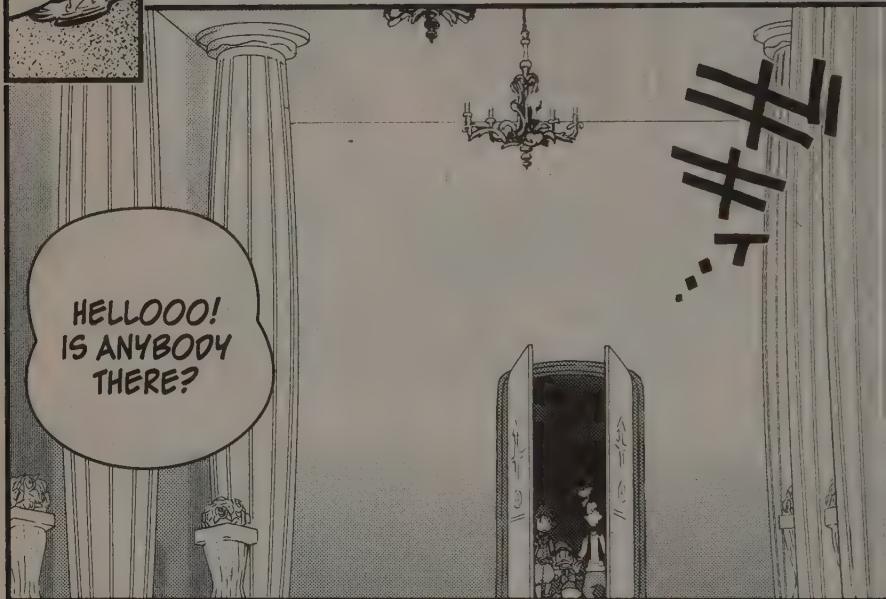
I  
KNOW  
THAT!

DONALD,  
WE SHOULD  
KNOCK FIRST,  
A-HYUCK.

NOT  
THAT YOU'RE  
LISTENING...



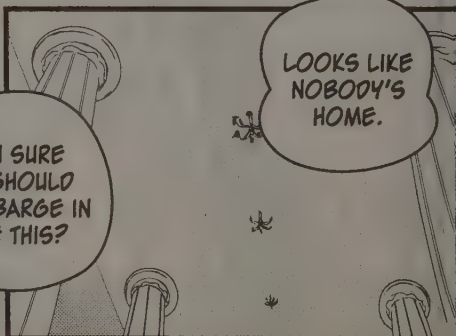
HUH?  
YOU'RE  
RIGHT..



HELLOOO!  
IS ANYBODY  
THERE?

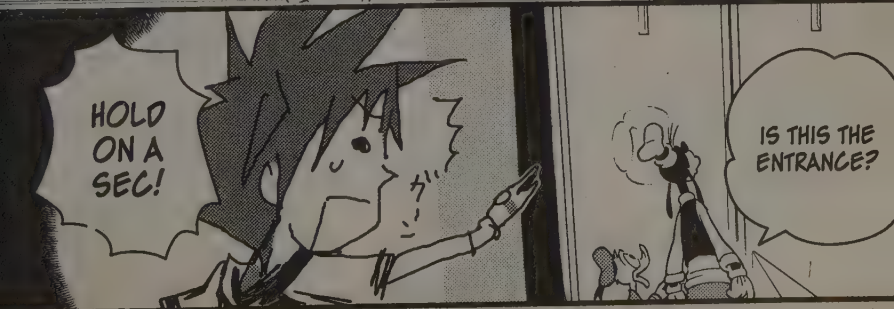
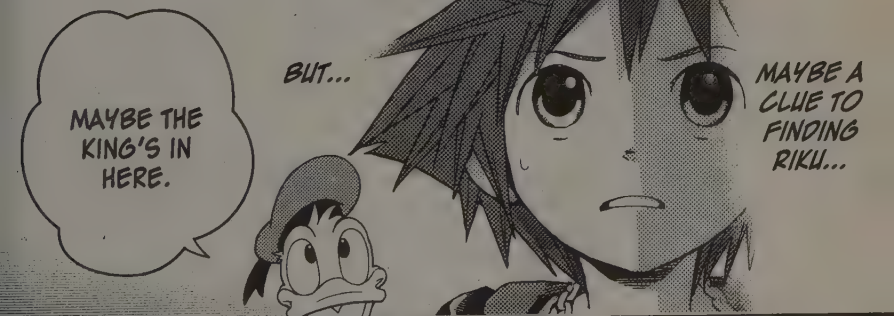
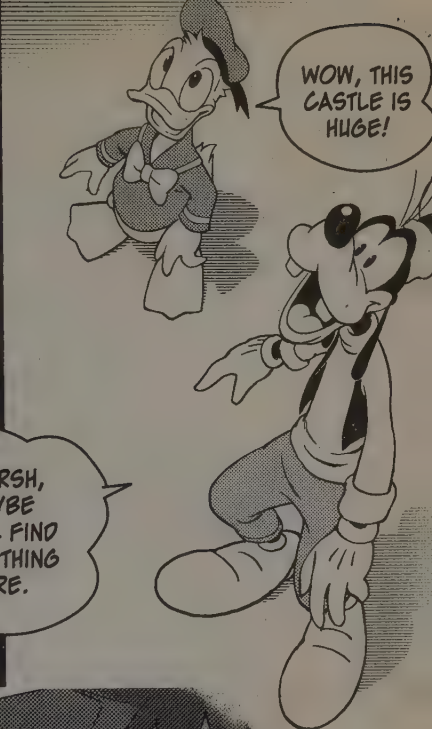


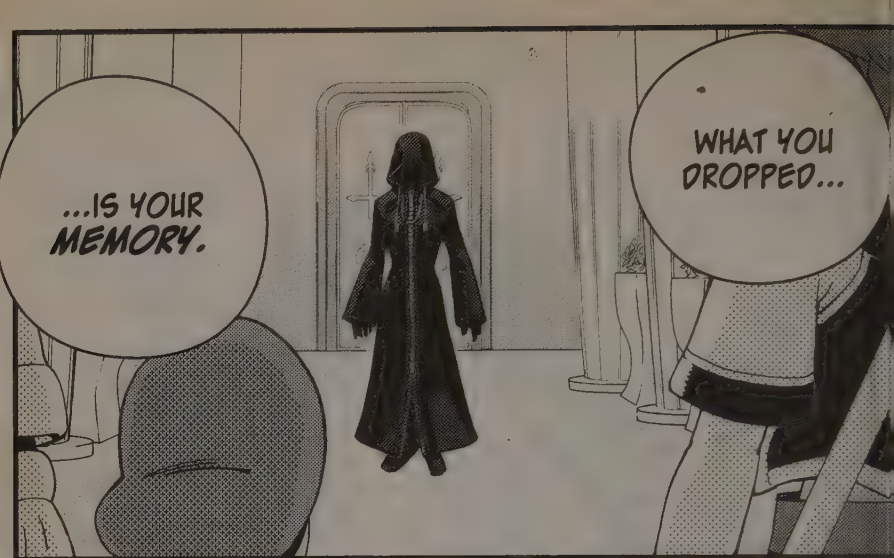
YOU SURE  
WE SHOULD  
JUST BARGE IN  
LIKE THIS?



LOOKS LIKE  
NOBODY'S  
HOME.

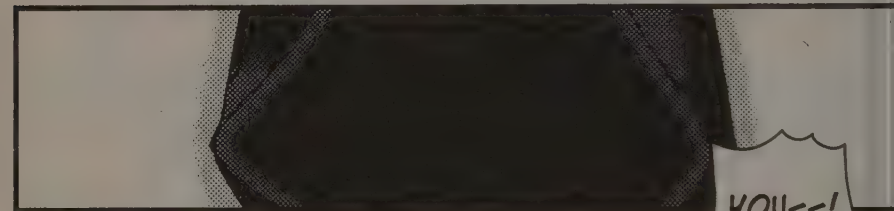




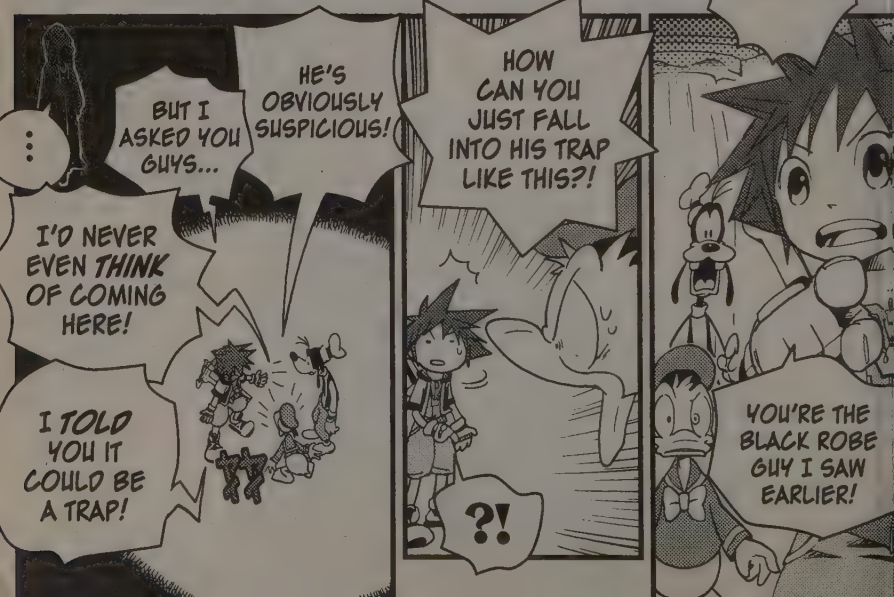


...IS YOUR  
MEMORY.

WHAT YOU  
DROPPED...



YOU--!



BUT I  
ASKED YOU  
GUYS...

HE'S  
OBVIOUSLY  
SUSPICIOUS!


HOW  
CAN YOU  
JUST FALL  
INTO HIS TRAP  
LIKE THIS?!

I'D NEVER  
EVEN *THINK*  
OF COMING  
HERE!


I TOLD  
YOU IT  
COULD BE  
A TRAP!

?!

YOU'RE THE  
BLACK ROBE  
GUY I SAW  
EARLIER!

A small panel showing Sora running down a hallway, looking back over his shoulder with a worried expression.

WAKE UP,  
SORA!

A small panel showing Sora running down a hallway, looking back over his shoulder with a worried expression.


DID YOU  
LOSE YOUR  
WALLET?

A small panel showing Sora running down a hallway, looking back over his shoulder with a worried expression.

NO,  
NOTHING  
LIKE  
THAT...

A small panel showing Sora running down a hallway, looking back over his shoulder with a worried expression.

UM...

A small panel showing Sora running down a hallway, looking back over his shoulder with a worried expression.

I JUST GOT A  
FEELING LIKE  
I...DROPPED  
SOMETHING...

A close-up of Sora's face, looking slightly confused or uncertain.

HUH?

A panel showing Goofy and Donald Duck. Goofy is on the left, looking at Donald, who is on the right, looking back at him.

WHAT'S  
WRONG?

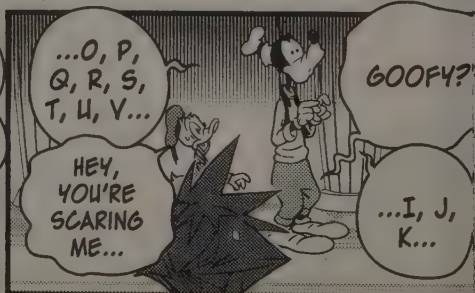
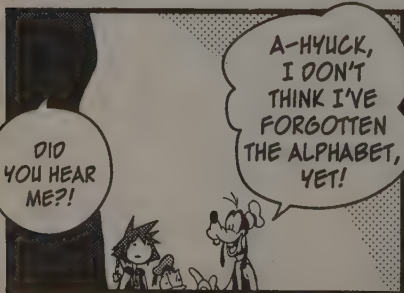
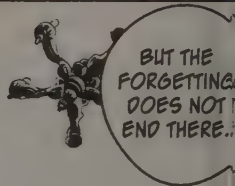
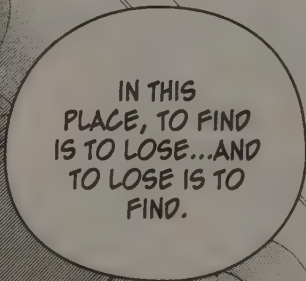
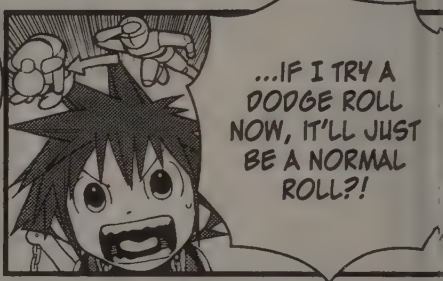
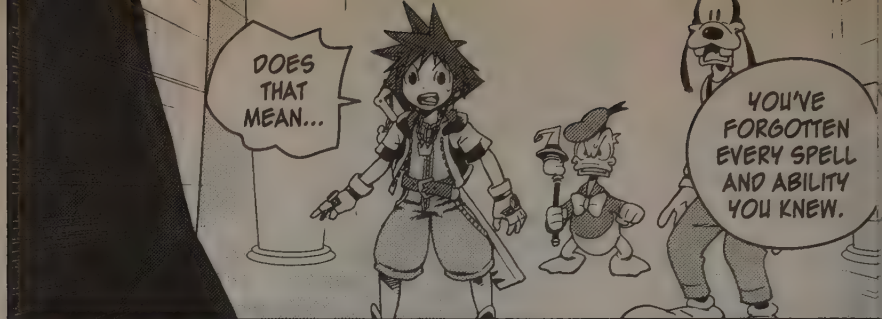
A large panel showing Sora, Goofy, and Donald walking away from the viewer down a long, dark hallway. A large speech bubble is on the right.

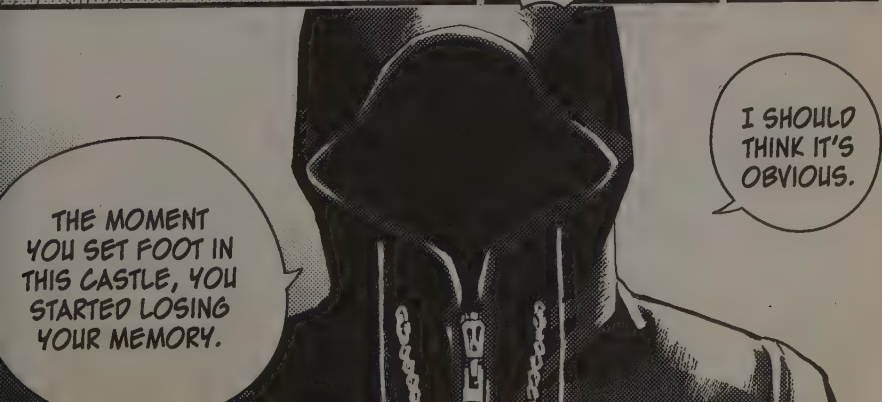
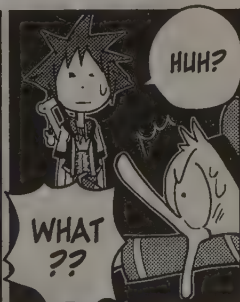
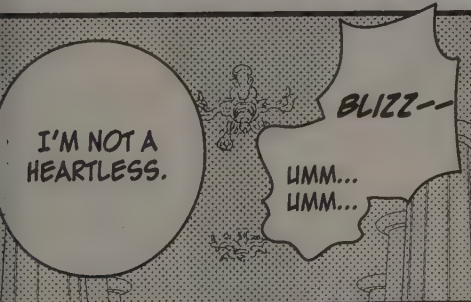
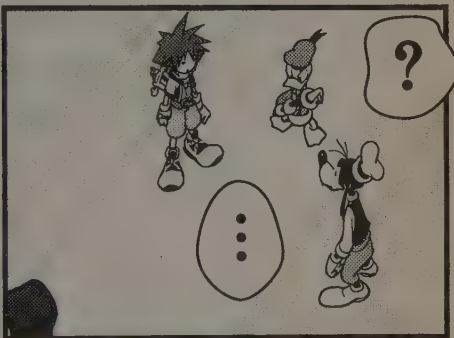
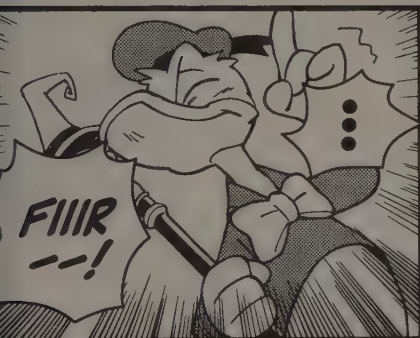
WELCOME  
TO OUR  
CASTLE.

A panel showing a close-up of Sora, Goofy, and Donald. Sora is on the left, looking surprised. Goofy is in the middle, looking at Donald. Donald is on the right, looking back at them.

!!







MAN, HE  
SAID IT  
AGAIN...



• IN THIS  
PLACE, TO FIND  
IS TO LOSE...AND  
TO LOSE IS TO  
FIND.

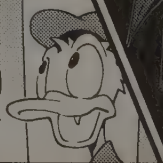


...YOU WILL  
MEET PEOPLE  
YOU KNOW.  
PEOPLE YOU  
MISS.



HERE  
IN THIS  
CASTLE...

PEOPLE WE  
MISS...?!



WHAT?





IN THIS  
PLACE, TO FIND  
IS TO LOSE...AND  
TO LOSE IS TO  
FIND.

I REPEATED  
IT BECAUSE  
I THOUGHT  
YOU WEREN'T  
LISTENING!

IT'S  
PROBABLY  
HIS FAVORITE  
LINE.

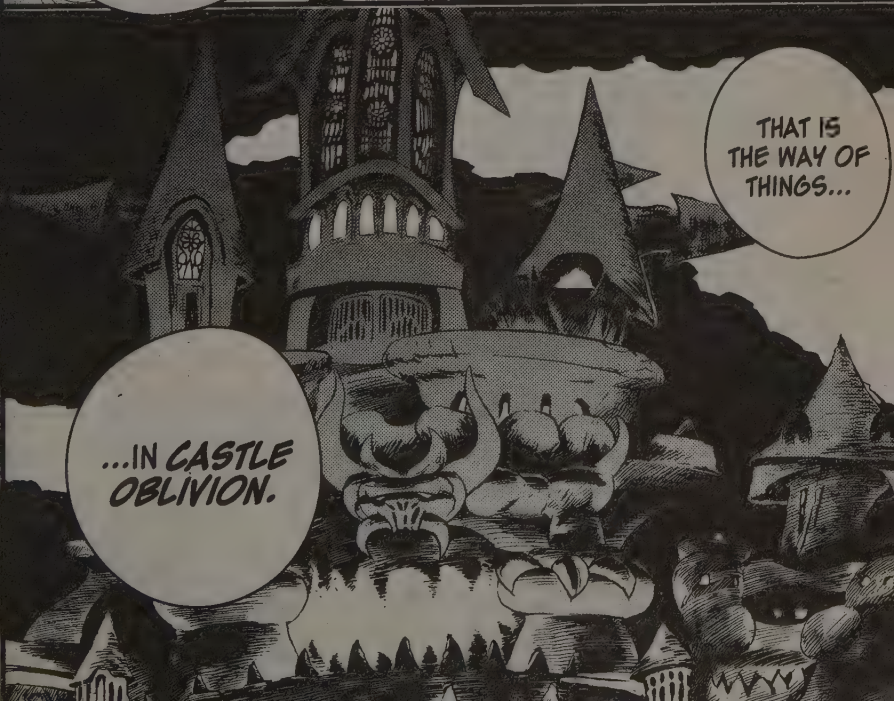


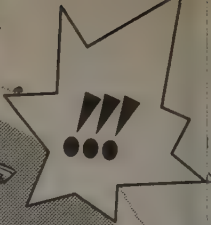
HE SAID  
THE SAME  
THING  
TWICE...



...IN *CASTLE  
OBLIVION.*

THAT IS  
THE WAY OF  
THINGS...

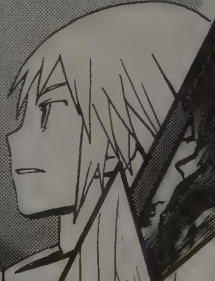




WHEN WE GET TO  
THE OTHER SIDE OF  
THE OCEAN, WILL  
WE REALLY FIND  
ANOTHER WORLD?

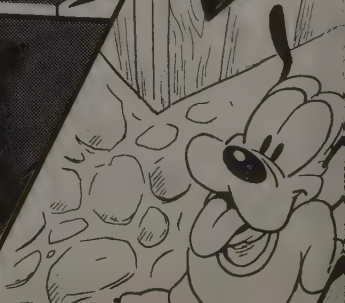


WE'LL  
KNOW  
WHEN  
WE GET  
THERE.



THE HEARTLESS  
ARE MONSTERS  
THAT EAT  
PEOPLE'S  
HEARTS.

HEY KID,  
YOU NEW  
AROUND  
HERE?





**RIKU!  
YOU MEAN  
RIKU!**

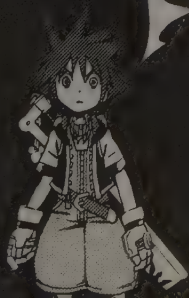


...FEEL

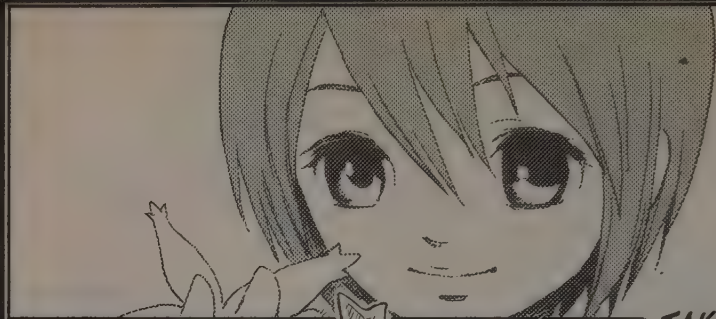
I'M CERTAIN THAT

...FEEL  
THEIR  
PRESENCE.

I'M  
CERTAIN  
THAT  
YOU...








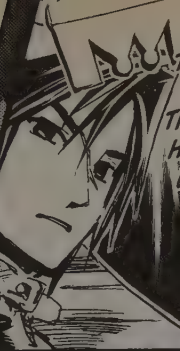
TAKE THIS  
THALASSA  
SHELL LUCKY  
CHARM.

SO NO  
MATTER  
WHERE YOU  
GO, YOU CAN  
RETURN HOME  
SAFELY.

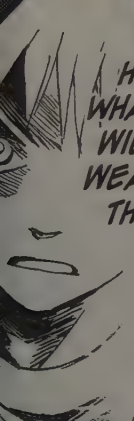




ALL FOR  
ONE AND  
ONE FOR  
ALL!




THE KEYBLADE  
YOU HAVE...  
THAT'S WHAT THE  
HEARTLESS ARE  
LOOKING FOR.

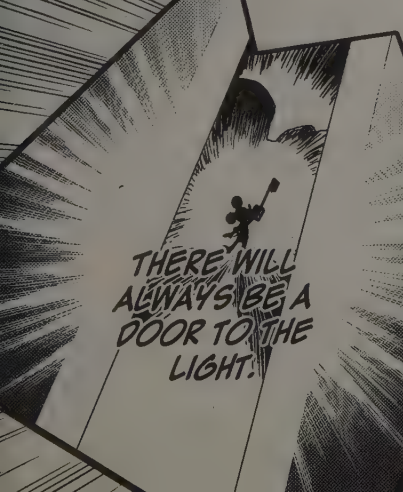


YOUR  
HEART?  
WHAT GOOD  
WILL THAT  
WEAK LITTLE  
THING DO  
YOU?

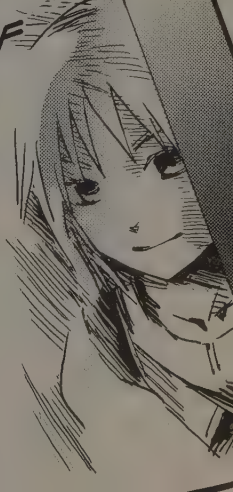
YOU POSSESS THE  
STRONGEST WEAPON IN  
THE WORLD.

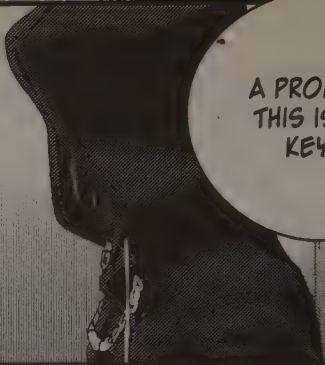


TAKE  
CARE OF  
KAIRI,  
WILL  
YOU?



THERE WILL  
ALWAYS BE A  
DOOR TO THE  
LIGHT.



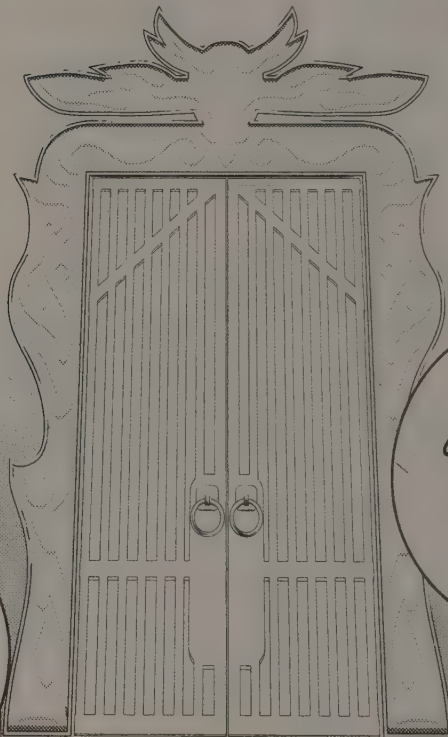


...TO REUNITING  
WITH THOSE YOU  
HOLD DEAR.

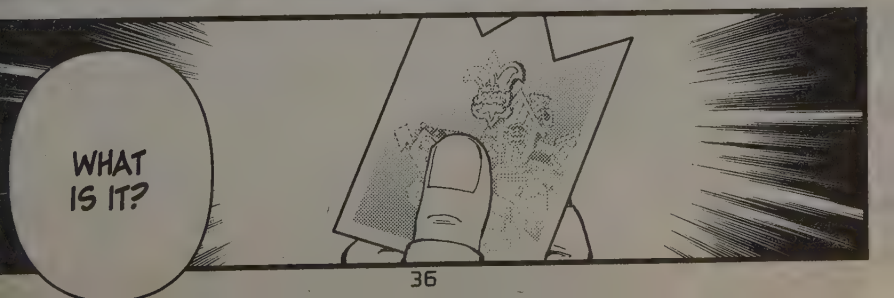
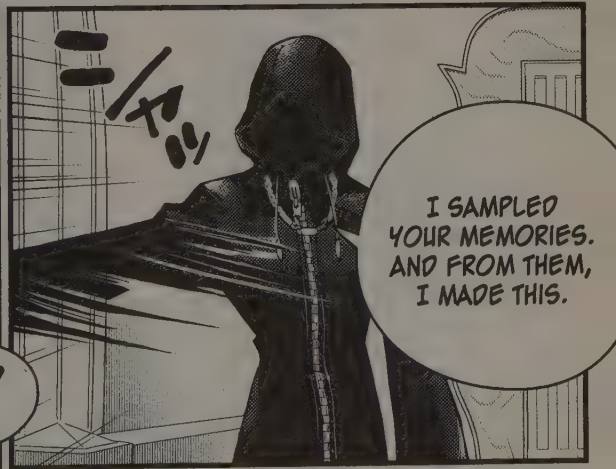
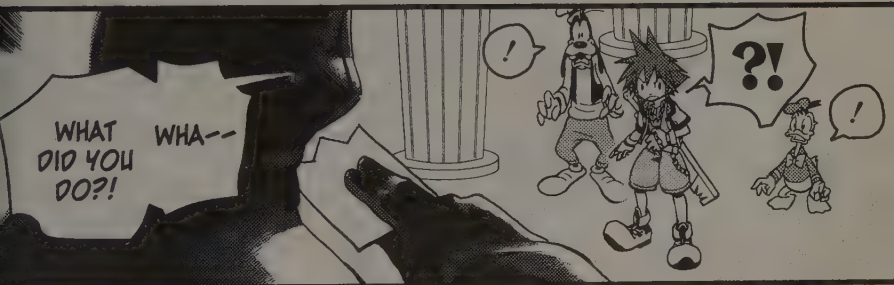
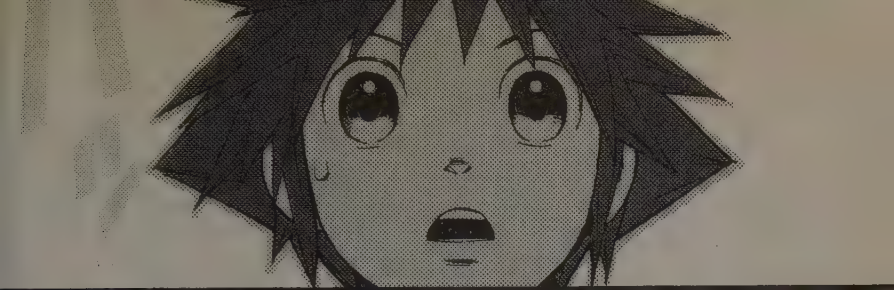
A PROMISE.  
THIS IS THE  
KEY...

...AND  
BEYOND  
IT A NEW  
WORLD.

HOLD THE  
CARD BEFORE  
YOU. THE  
DOOR WILL  
OPEN...







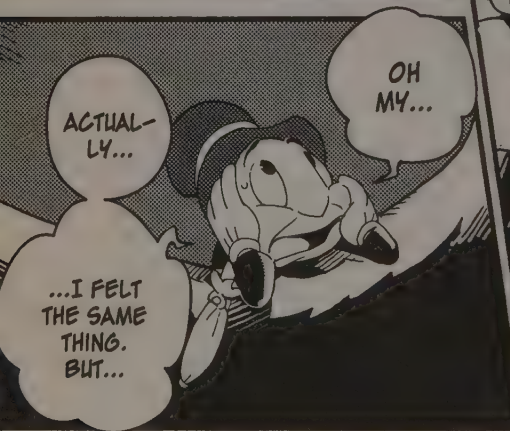
ヒッ



ME,  
THREE.

GAWRSH,  
ME TOO.

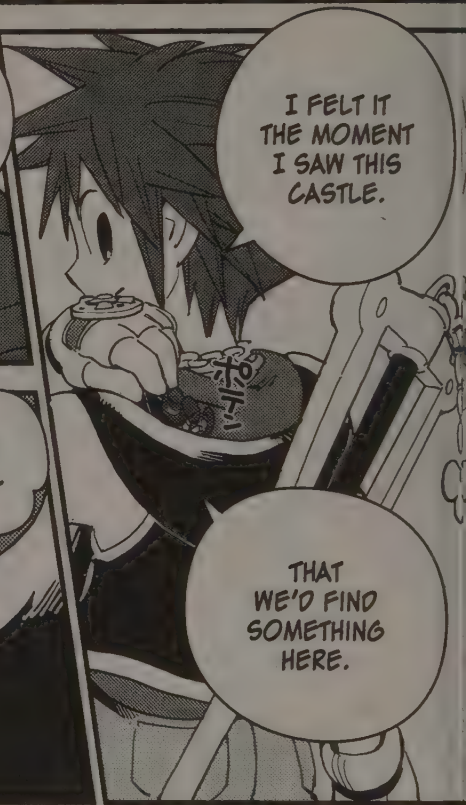
REALLY?!



ACTUAL-  
LY...

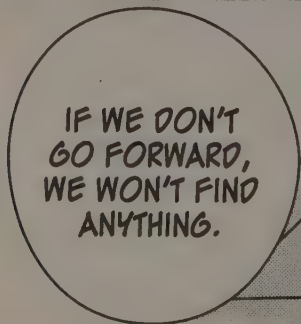
OH  
MY...

...I FELT  
THE SAME  
THING.  
BUT...

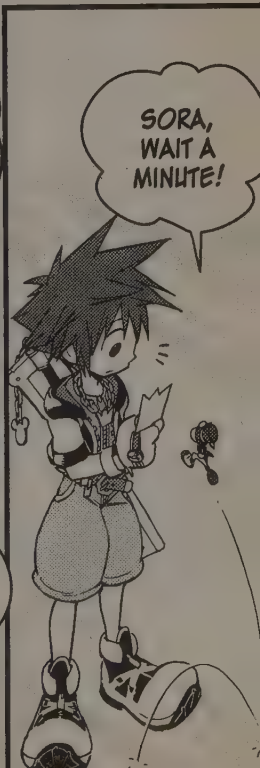
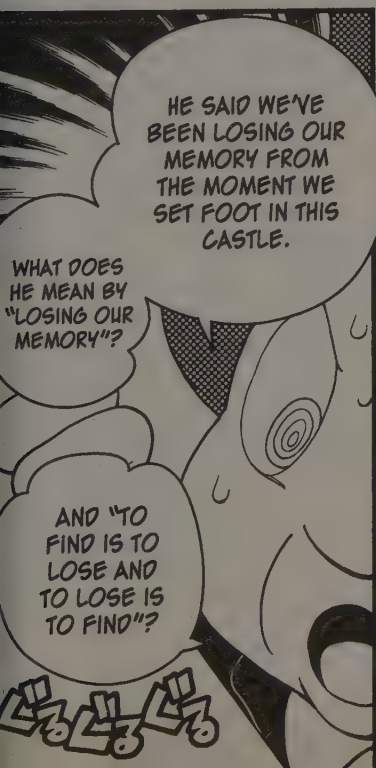
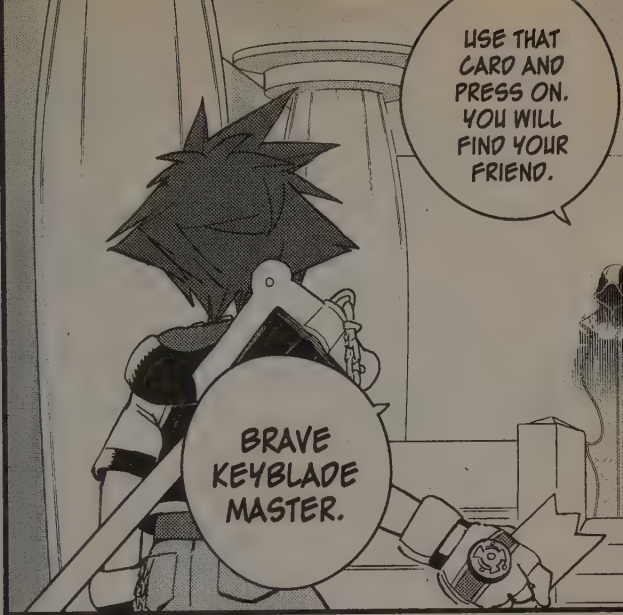
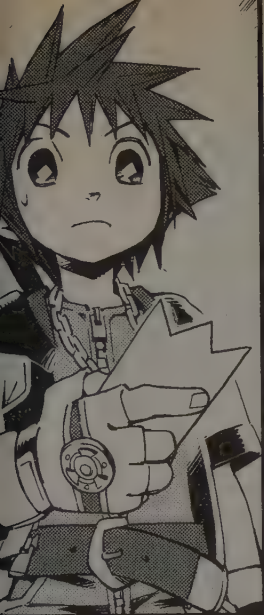


I FELT IT  
THE MOMENT  
I SAW THIS  
CASTLE.

THAT  
WE'D FIND  
SOMETHING  
HERE.



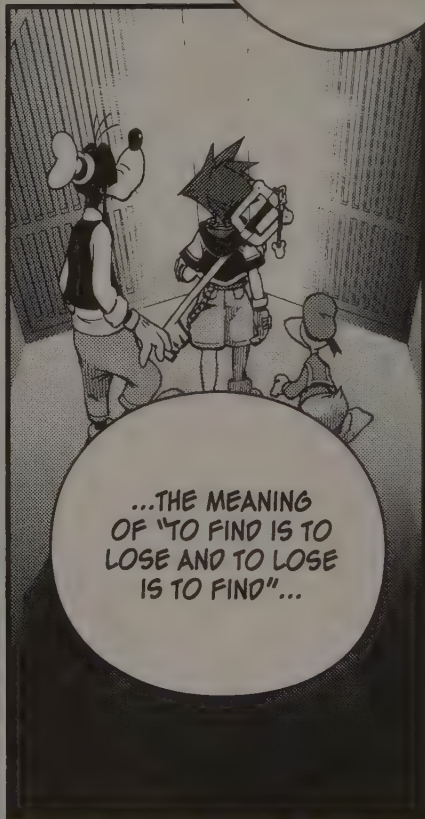
IF WE DON'T  
GO FORWARD,  
WE WON'T FIND  
ANYTHING.



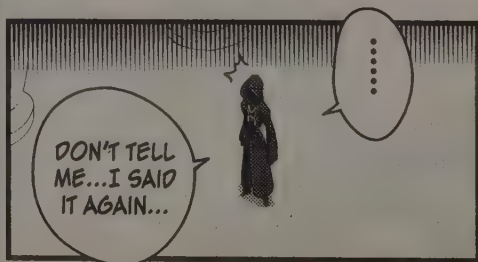
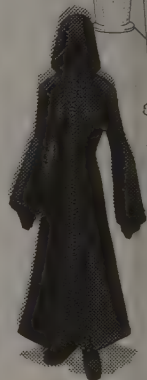




THE  
FURTHER YOU  
ADVANCE, THE  
MORE YOU'LL  
UNDERSTAND...



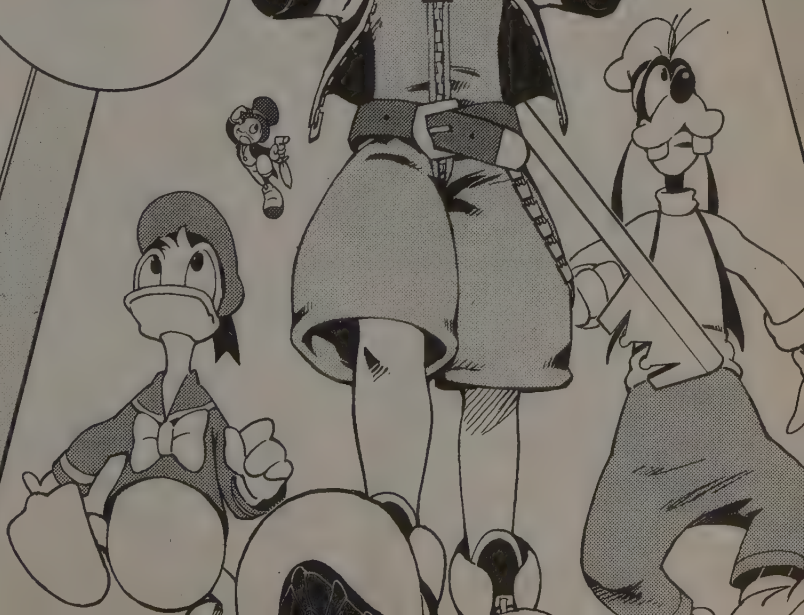
...THE MEANING  
OF "TO FIND IS TO  
LOSE AND TO LOSE  
IS TO FIND"...



DON'T TELL  
ME...I SAID  
IT AGAIN...

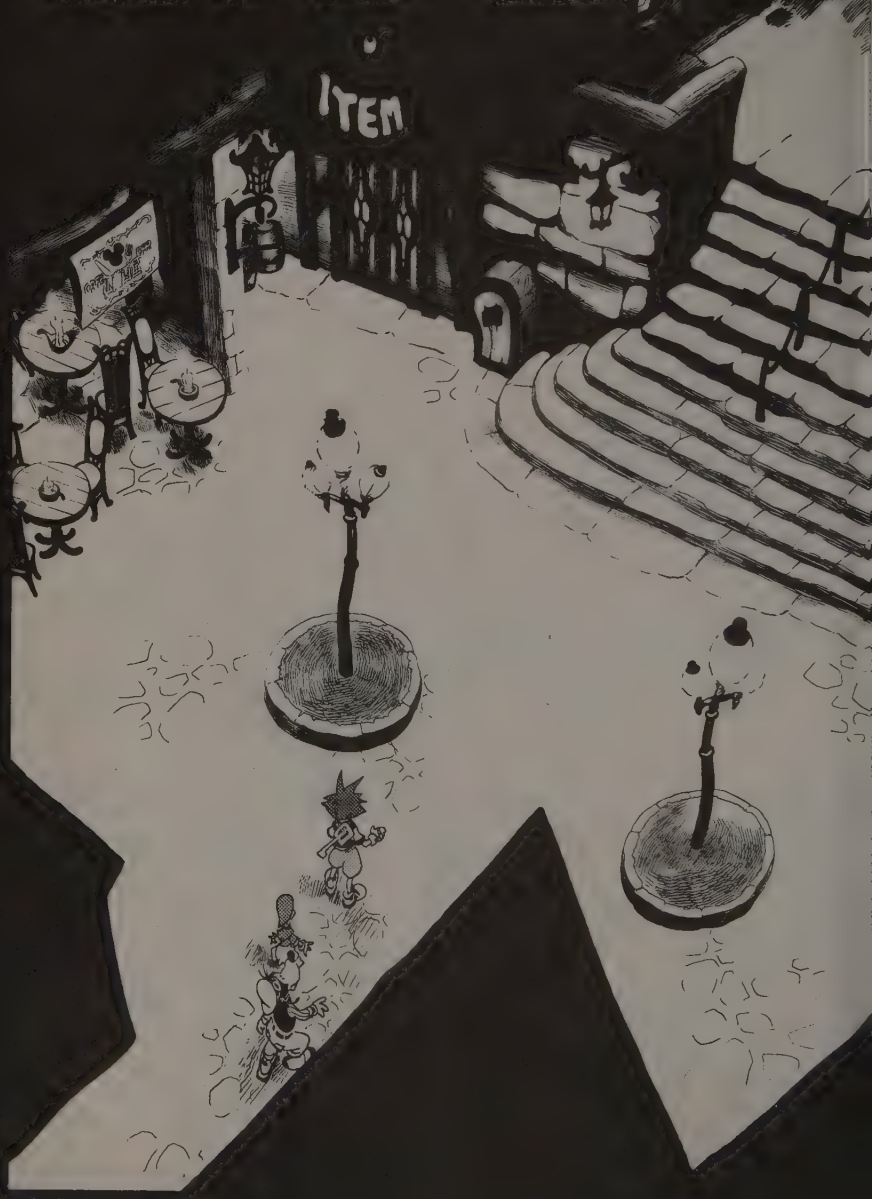
C'MON,  
GUYS.

LET'S GO  
FIND THE  
KING AND  
RIKU!!

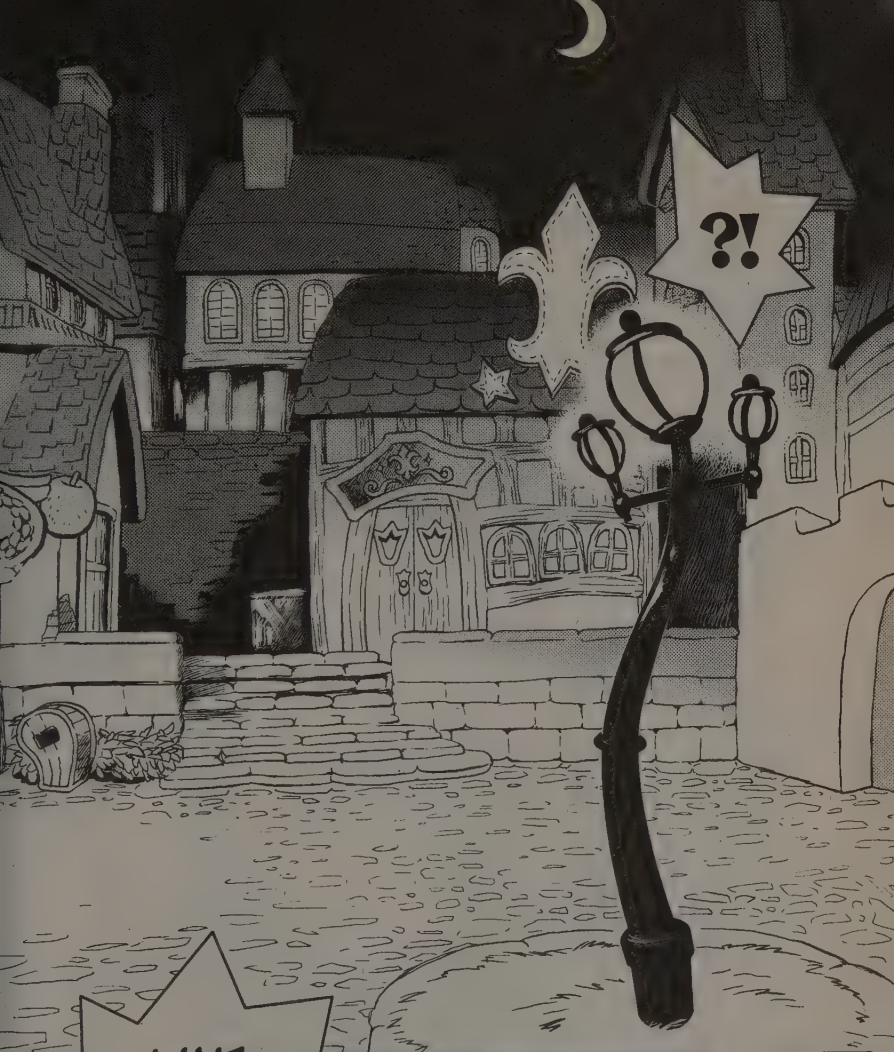


CARD 02

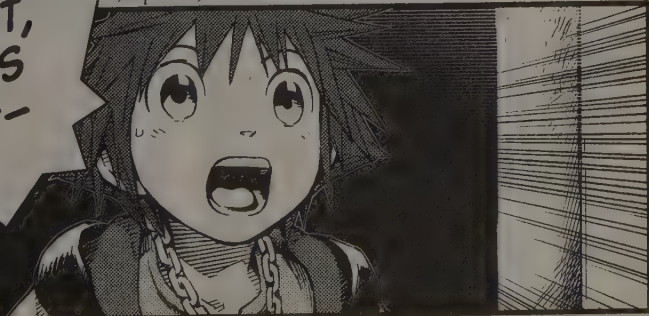
Bellyful  
Stew







WAIT,  
THIS  
IS--





THIS IS  
THE FIRST  
OTHER WORLD  
I EVER  
TRAVELED  
TO.



TRAVERSE  
TOWN...

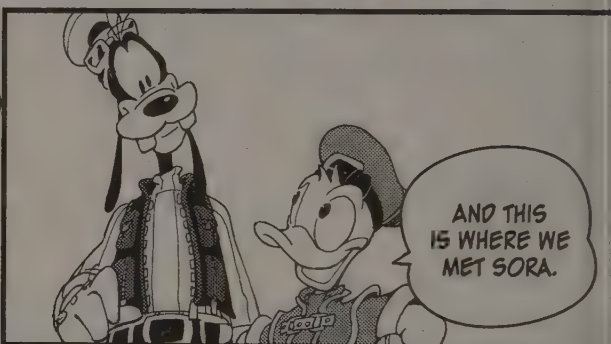
IT'S  
BEEN A  
WHILE SINCE  
I LEFT  
HERE.



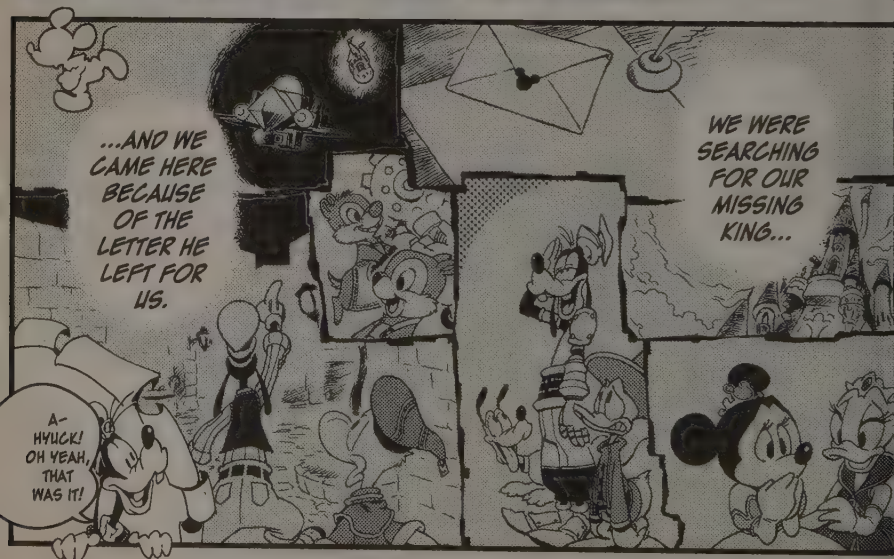
UH-  
HUH...

I REMEMBER WE  
WERE ALL FIGHTING  
OVER THE CHEAPEST  
SWEATER AT THAT  
SALE...

WAIT,  
NO!



AND THIS  
IS WHERE WE  
MET SORA.

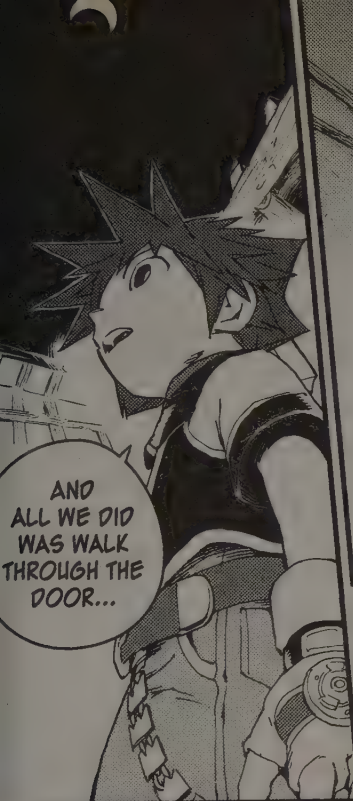


...AND WE  
CAME HERE  
BECAUSE  
OF THE  
LETTER HE  
LEFT FOR  
US.

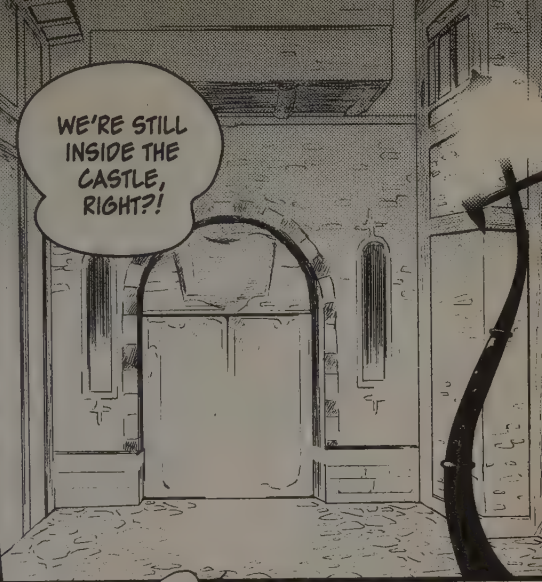
WE WERE  
SEARCHING  
FOR OUR  
MISSING  
KING...

A-  
HYUCK!  
OH YEAH,  
THAT  
WAS IT!

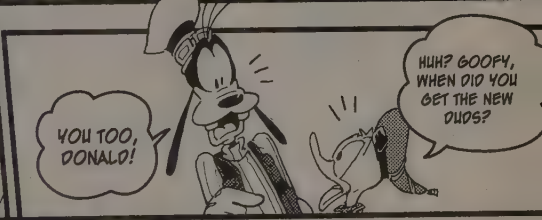




AND  
ALL WE DID  
WAS WALK  
THROUGH THE  
DOOR...

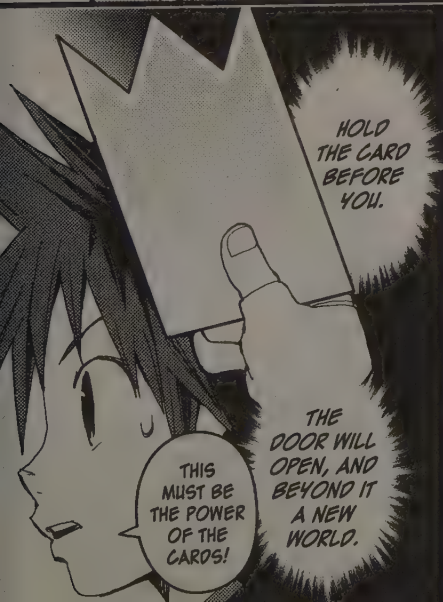


WE'RE STILL  
INSIDE THE  
CASTLE,  
RIGHT?!



YOU TOO,  
DONALD!

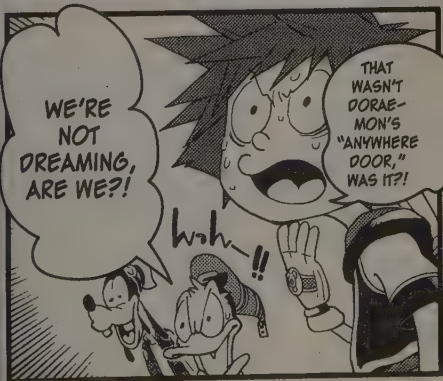
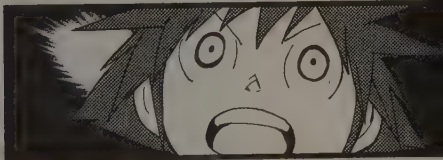
HUH? GOOFY,  
WHEN DID YOU  
GET THE NEW  
DUOS?



HOLD  
THE CARD  
BEFORE  
YOU.

THIS  
MUST BE  
THE POWER  
OF THE  
CARDS!

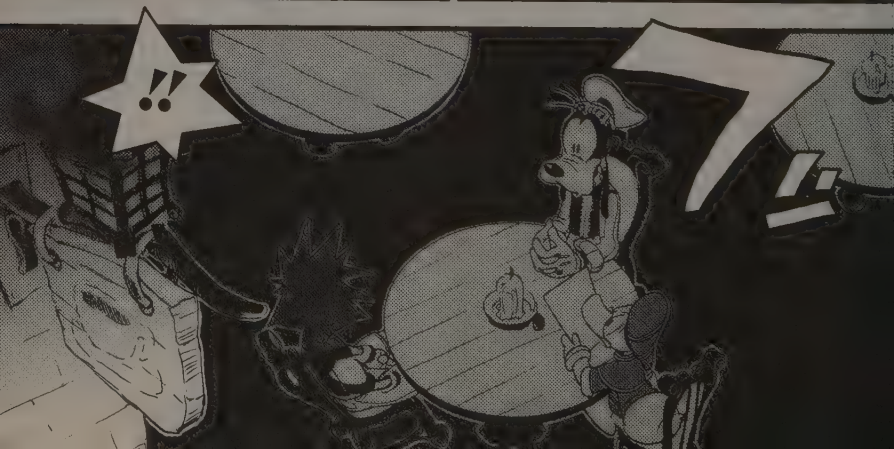
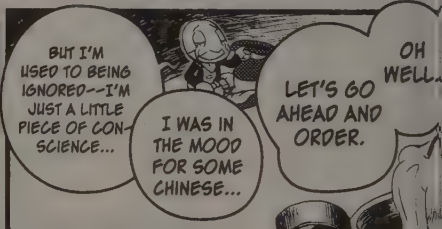
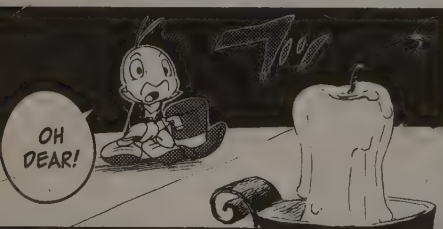
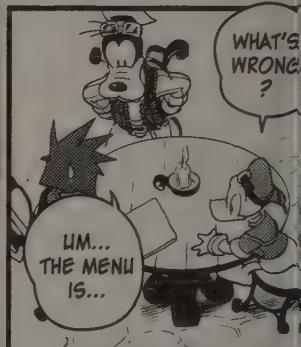
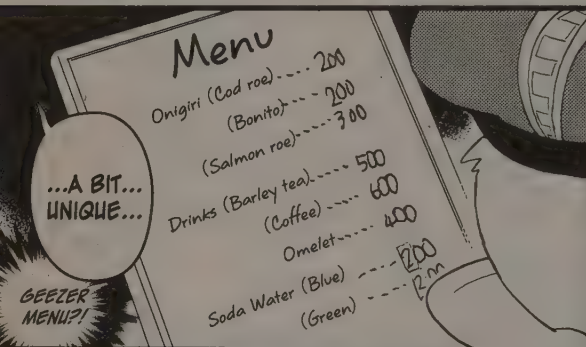
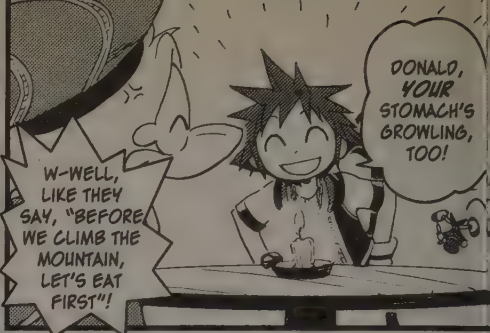
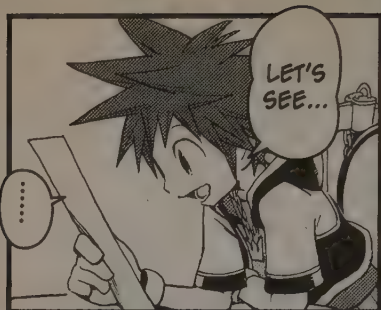
THE  
DOOR WILL  
OPEN, AND  
BEYOND IT  
A NEW  
WORLD.

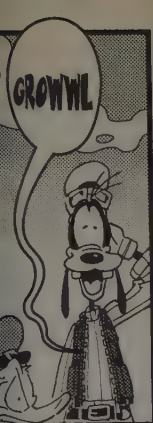


WE'RE  
NOT  
DREAMING,  
ARE WE?!

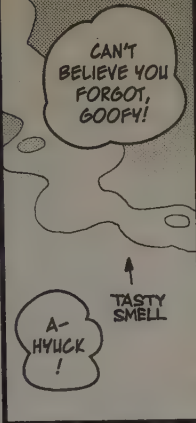
THAT  
WASN'T  
DORAE-  
MON'S  
"ANYWHERE  
DOOR,"  
WAS IT?!







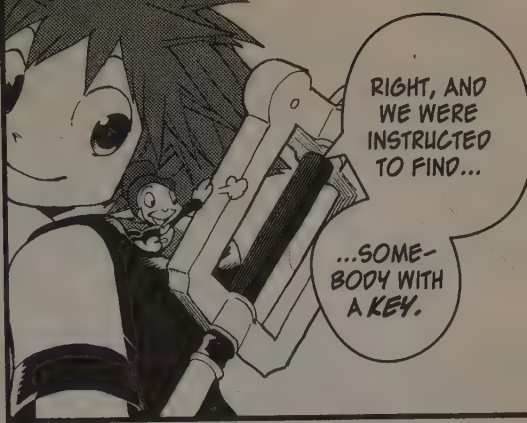
GROWL



CAN'T BELIEVE YOU FORGOT, GOOFY!

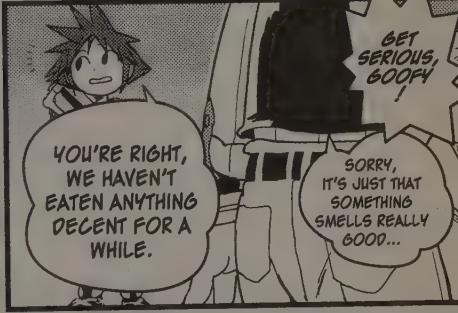
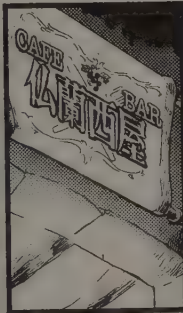
A-HYUCK!

TASTY SMELL



RIGHT, AND WE WERE INSTRUCTED TO FIND...

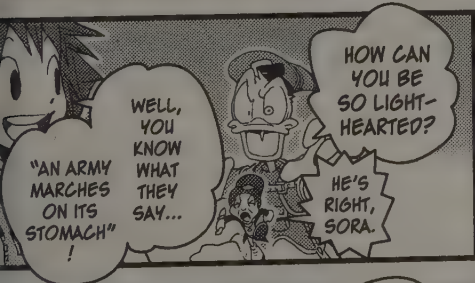
...SOME-BODY WITH A KEY.



YOU'RE RIGHT, WE HAVEN'T EATEN ANYTHING DECENT FOR A WHILE.

GET SERIOUS, GOOFY!

SORRY, IT'S JUST THAT SOMETHING SMELLS REALLY GOOD...

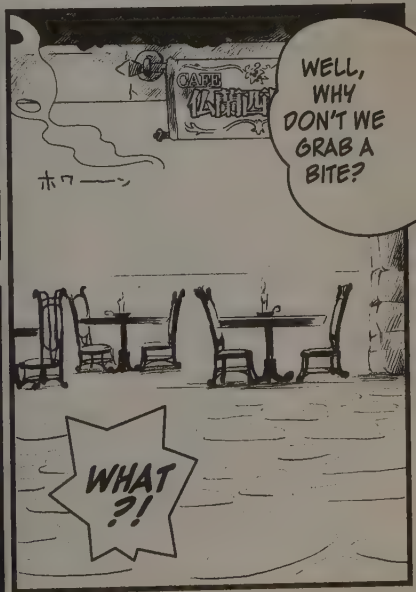


HOW CAN YOU BE SO LIGHT-HEARTED?

HE'S RIGHT, SORA.

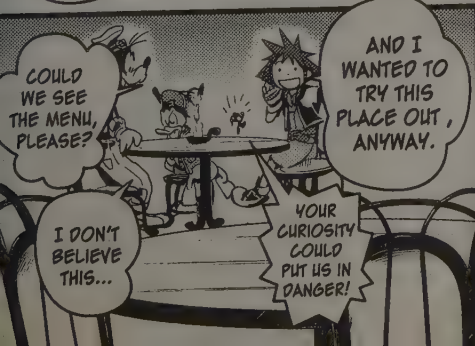
WELL, YOU KNOW WHAT THEY SAY...

"AN ARMY MARCHES ON ITS STOMACH!"



WELL, WHY DON'T WE GRAB A BITE?

WHAT?!

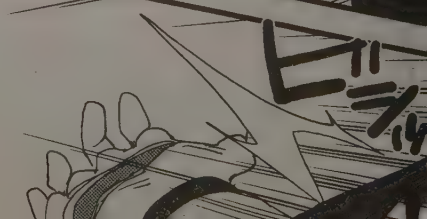
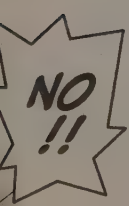
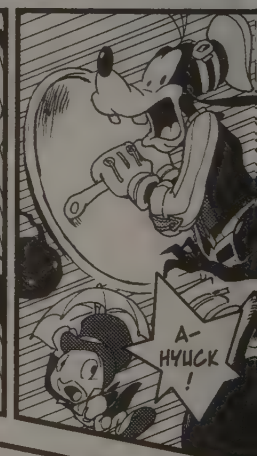
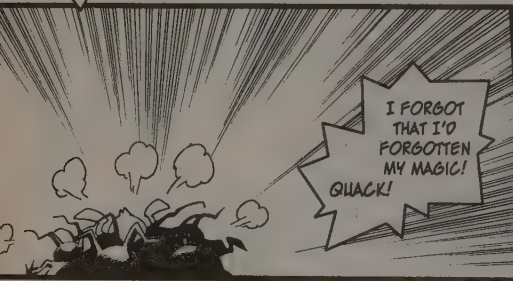
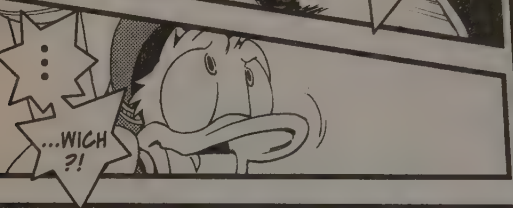
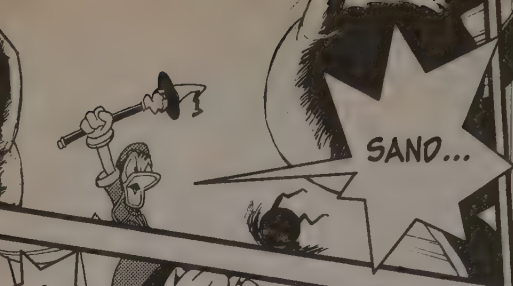


AND I WANTED TO TRY THIS PLACE OUT, ANYWAY.

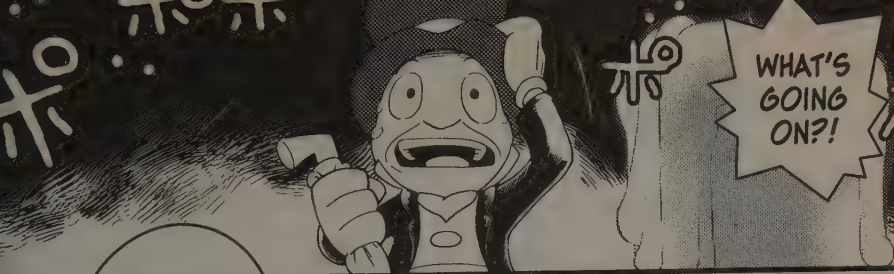
YOUR CURIOSITY COULD PUT US IN DANGER!

I DON'T BELIEVE THIS...

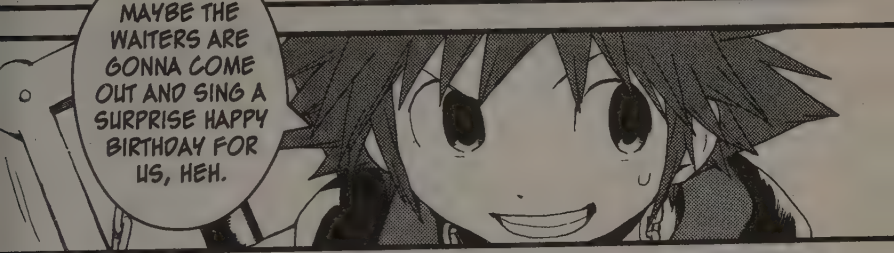
COULD WE SEE THE MENU, PLEASE?



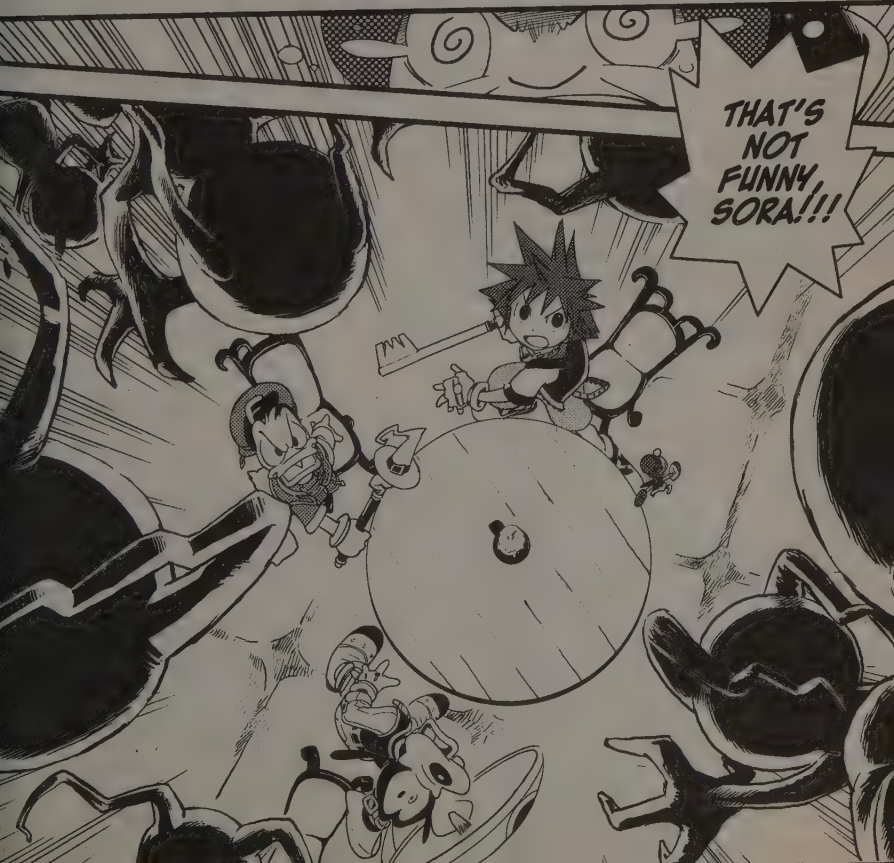




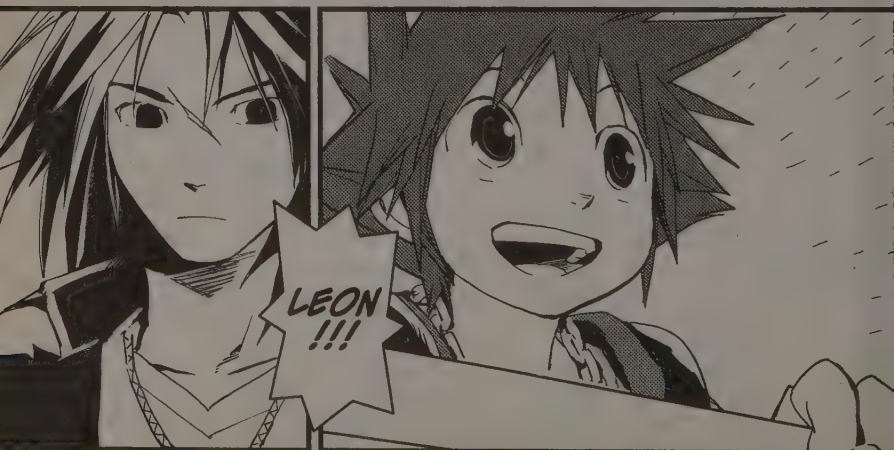
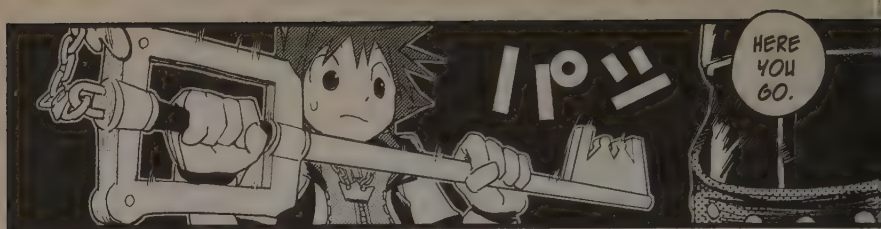
WHAT'S  
GOING  
ON?!

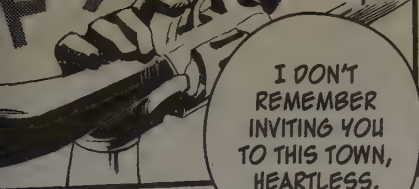


MAYBE THE  
WAITERS ARE  
GONNA COME  
OUT AND SING A  
SURPRISE HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY FOR  
US, HEH.

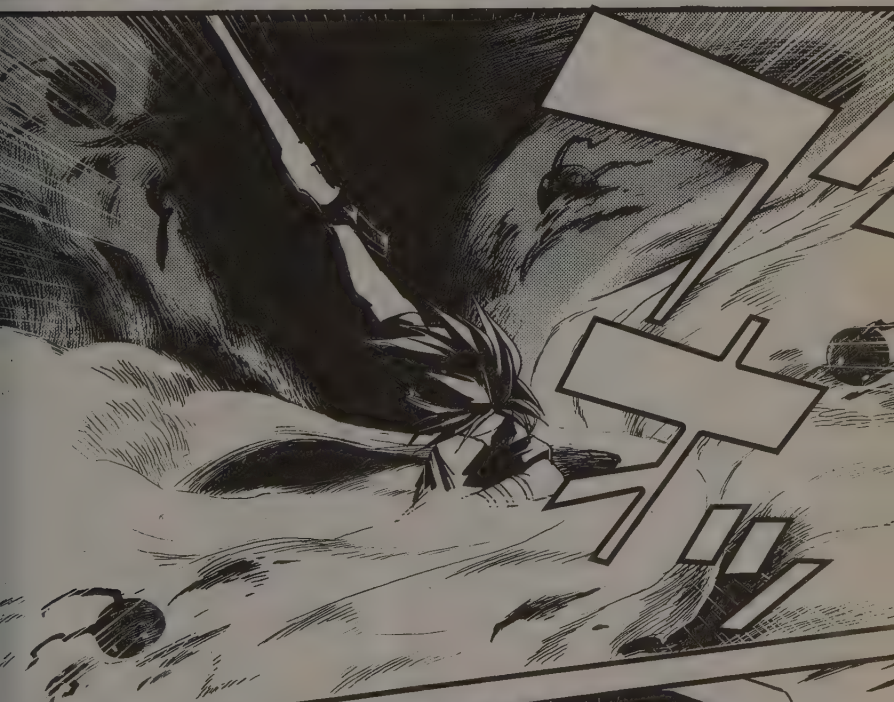
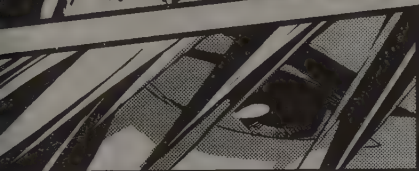
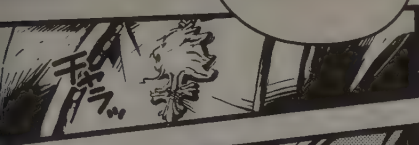


THAT'S  
NOT  
FUNNY,  
SORA!!!

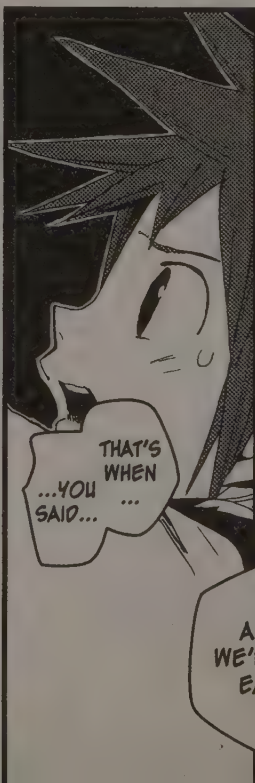
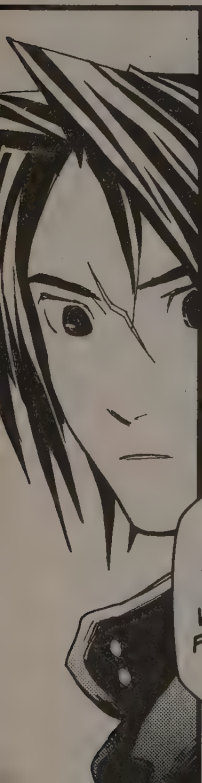
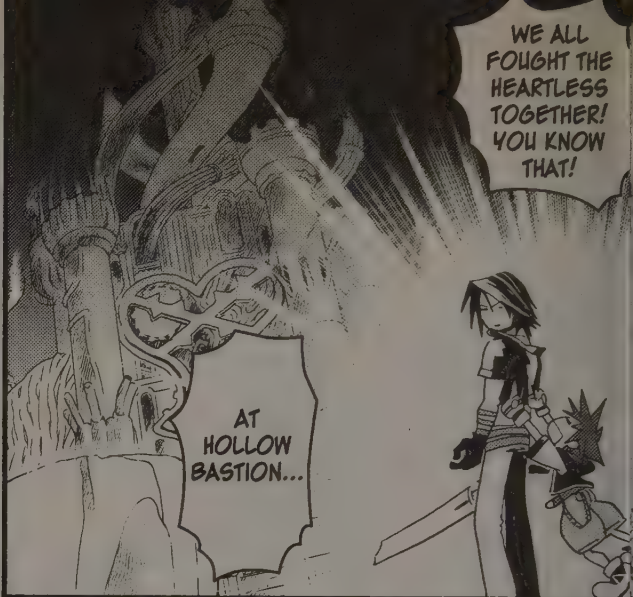




I DON'T  
REMEMBER  
INVITING YOU  
TO THIS TOWN,  
HEARTLESS.

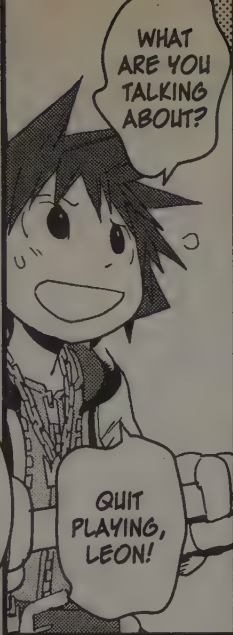






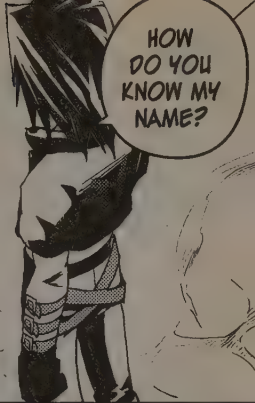
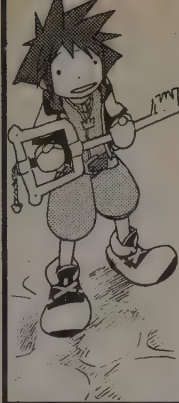


I'VE NEVER  
SEEN ANY OF  
YOU BEFORE  
IN MY LIFE.

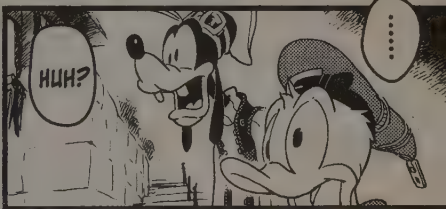


WHAT  
ARE YOU  
TALKING  
ABOUT?

QUIT  
PLAYING,  
LEON!



HOW  
DO YOU  
KNOW MY  
NAME?



HUH?

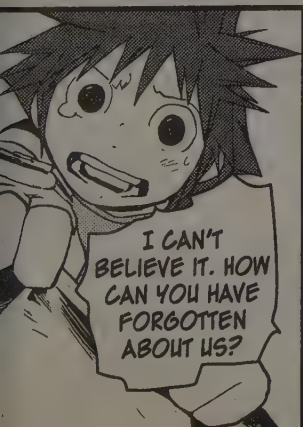
....



WAIT...

LEON  
!!

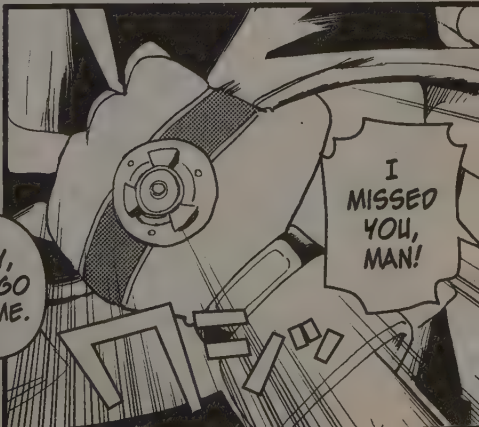
YOU'D  
BETTER LEAVE  
BEFORE MORE  
HEARTLESS  
ARRIVE.



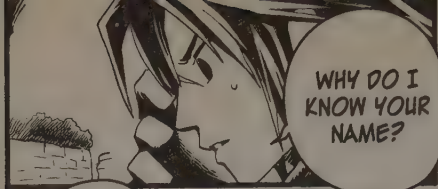
I CAN'T  
BELIEVE IT. HOW  
CAN YOU HAVE  
FORGOTTEN  
ABOUT US?



HEY,  
LET GO  
OF ME.



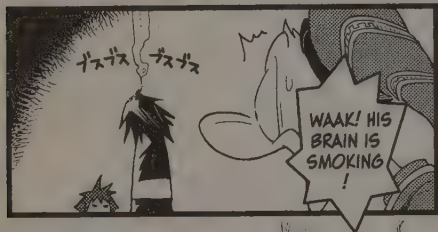
I  
MISSED  
YOU,  
MAN!



WHY DO I  
KNOW YOUR  
NAME?



I  
DON'T GET  
IT... WHAT'S  
HAPPENED  
TO MY  
MEMORY?

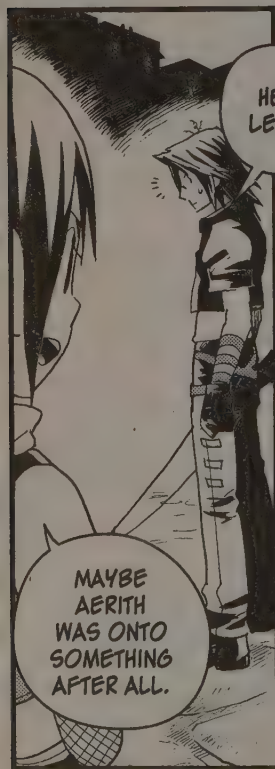


WAAK! HIS  
BRAIN IS  
SMOKING  
!



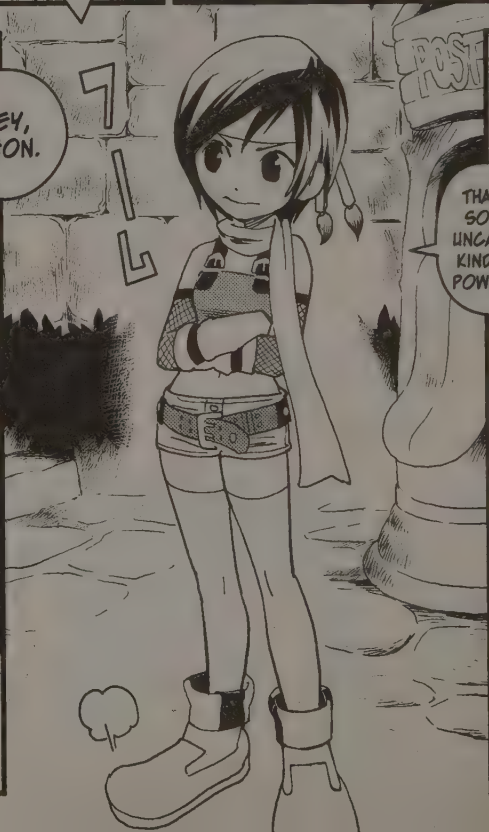
SO YOU  
WERE JUST  
KIDDING  
AROUND?!!

N-  
NOW,  
HOLD  
ON!



HEY,  
LEON.

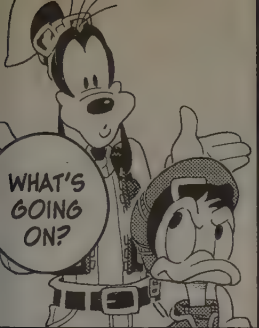
MAYBE  
AERITH  
WAS ONTO  
SOMETHING  
AFTER ALL.



YOU  
DON'T  
KNOW HIM,  
BUT YOU  
REMEM-  
BER HIS  
NAME?

THAT'S  
SOME  
UNCANNY  
KIND OF  
POWER...





WHAT'S  
GOING  
ON?

HEY! YOU  
JUST GAVE  
ME YOUR  
"POOR YOU"  
LOOK!!!

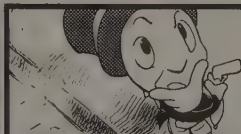
HAPPENS  
ALL THE  
TIME.

HEY, I FEEL  
FOR YOU. BUT  
YOU'VE GOT  
THE WRONG  
GUY.

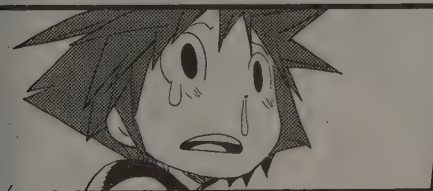
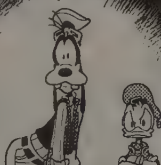


OH  
NOO  
!!

SO  
YOU MEAN  
LEON HAS  
LOST HIS  
MEMORY AS  
WELL?



WHAT IF  
THIS TOWN  
IS BEING  
TAKEN OVER  
BY CASTLE  
OBLIVION?



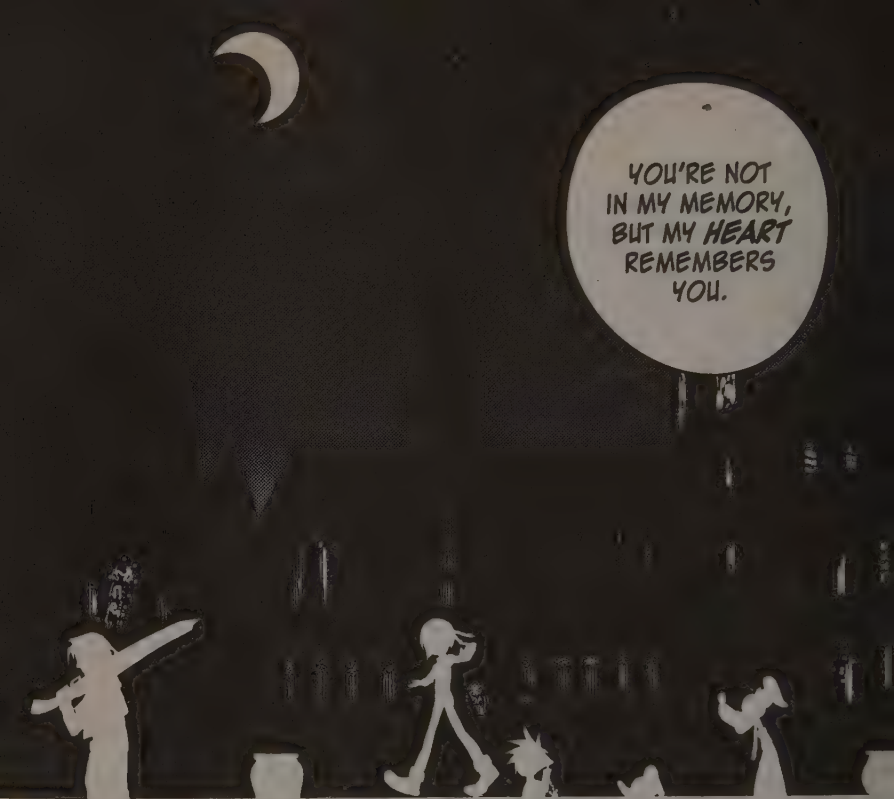
SO,  
YOU DO  
KNOW HIS  
NAME!

?!

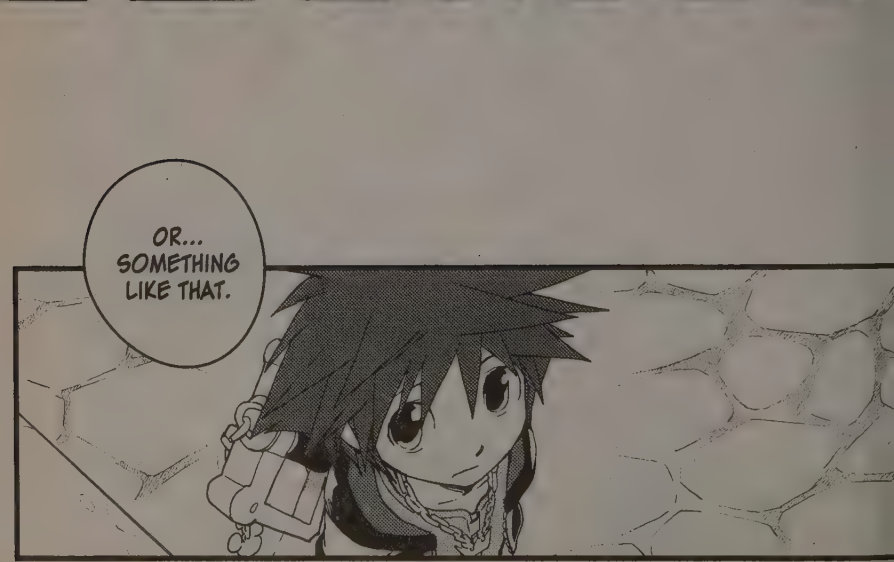
THAT'S...  
UM...

ENOUGH  
ALREADY!

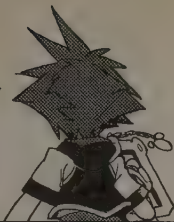
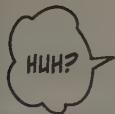
SORA  
!!



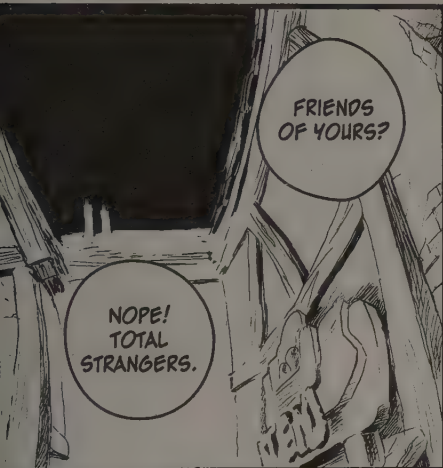
YOU'RE NOT  
IN MY MEMORY,  
BUT MY **HEART**  
REMEMBERS  
YOU.



OR...  
SOMETHING  
LIKE THAT.

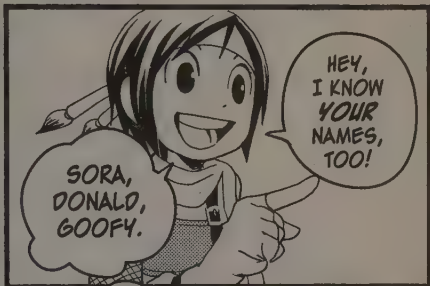


YUFFIE!



FRIENDS  
OF YOURS?

NOPE!  
TOTAL  
STRANGERS.



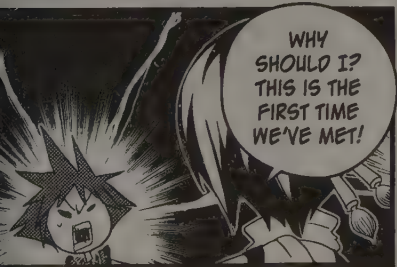
SORA,  
DONALD,  
GOOFY.

HEY,  
I KNOW  
YOUR  
NAMES,  
TOO!

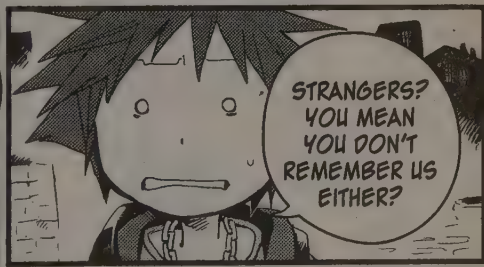


AND  
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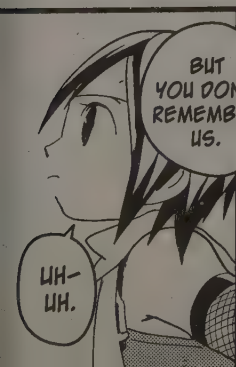
...  
JIMINY!



WHY  
SHOULD I?  
THIS IS THE  
FIRST TIME  
WE'VE MET!

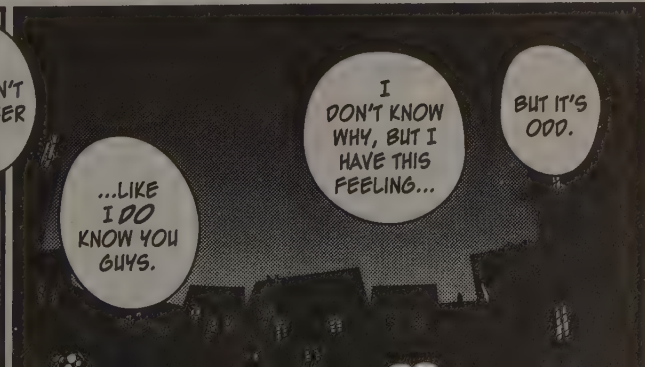


STRANGERS?  
YOU MEAN  
YOU DON'T  
REMEMBER US  
EITHER?



BUT  
YOU DON'T  
REMEMBER  
US.

UH-  
UH.

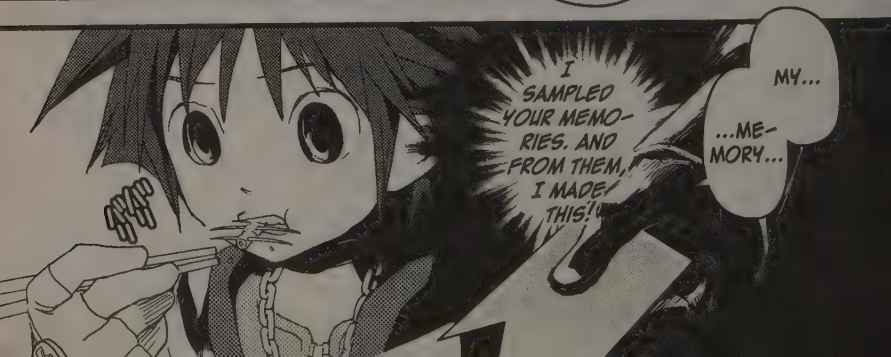
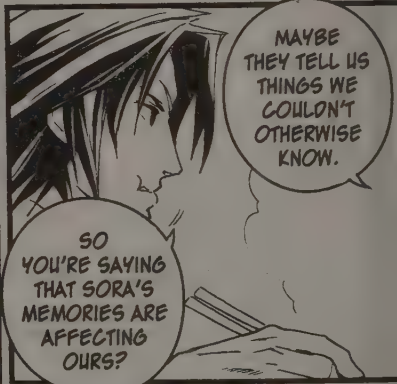
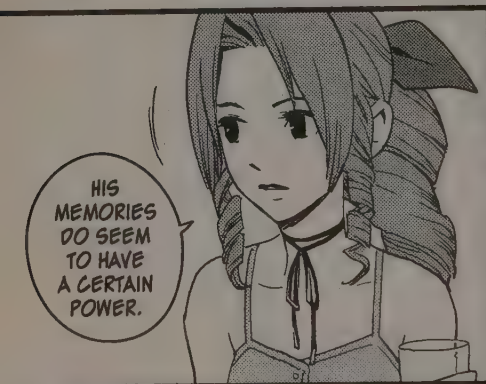
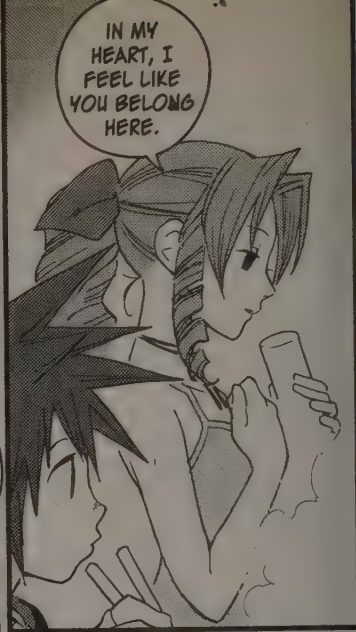
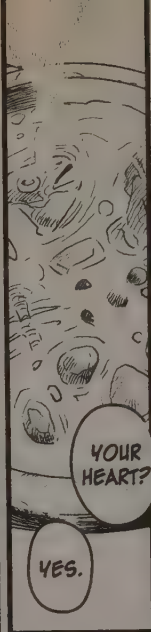


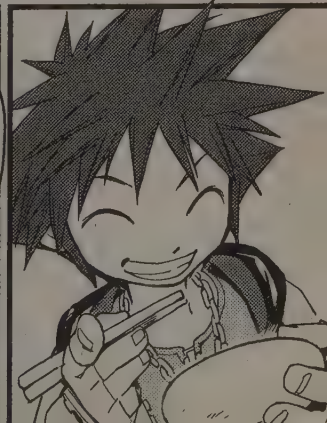
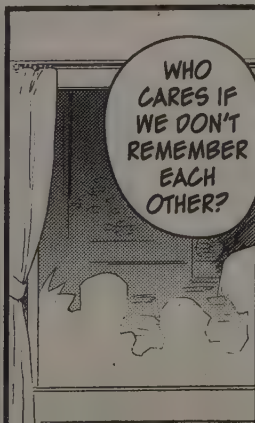
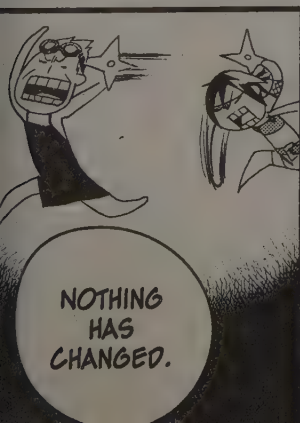
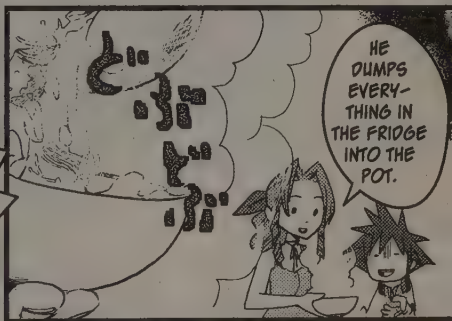
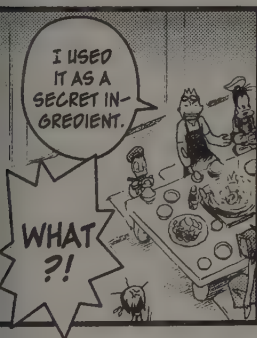
...LIKE  
I DO  
KNOW YOU  
GUYS.

I  
DON'T KNOW  
WHY, BUT I  
HAVE THIS  
FEELING...

BUT IT'S  
ODD.







RIKU AND  
THE KING  
LOOK LIKE  
ERRRR... THIS...

IT'S A  
SMALL TOWN--  
WE'LL FIND  
THEM IN NO  
TIME.

ANYWAY,  
LET'S SPLIT  
UP AND  
LOOK FOR  
THEM.

SORA,  
OUR HEARTS  
KNOW WHAT  
THEY LOOK  
LIKE.

TH--  
THANKS,  
EVERY-  
ONE.

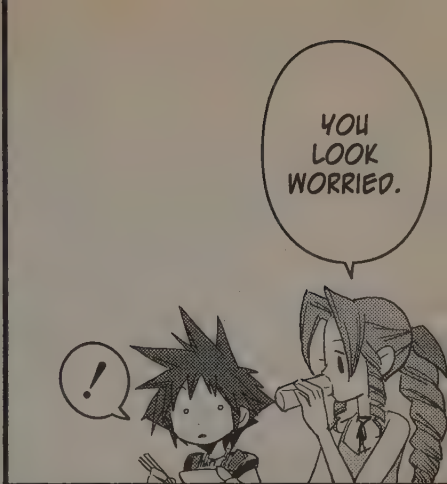
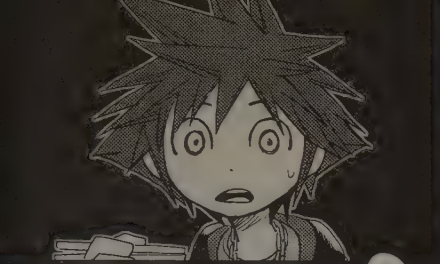


NO,  
I DON'T  
THINK WE'LL  
FIND THEM  
IN THIS  
TOWN.

SO YOUR  
FRIENDS  
WEREN'T  
HERE?

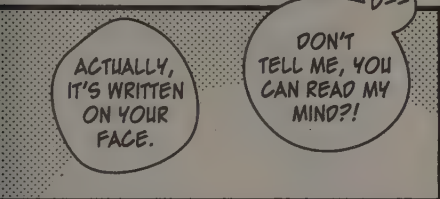
⇒SIGH⇒





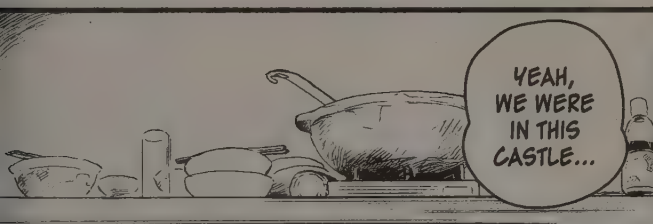
YOU  
LOOK  
WORRIED.

!



ACTUALLY,  
IT'S WRITTEN  
ON YOUR  
FACE.

D--  
DON'T  
TELL ME, YOU  
CAN READ MY  
MIND?!



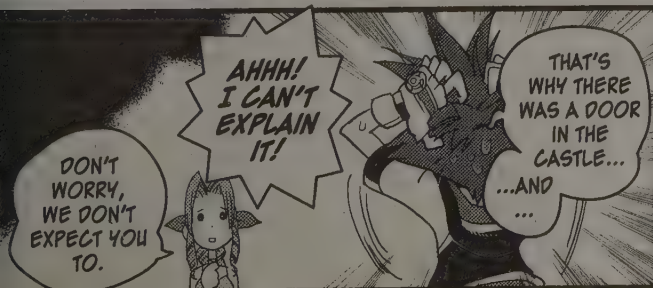
YEAH,  
WE WERE  
IN THIS  
CASTLE...



WHAT'S  
UP WITH  
THAT?!

THERE  
AREN'T ANY  
CASTLES IN  
TRAVERSE  
TOWN.

...AND WHEN  
WE OPENED A  
DOOR, IT WAS  
TRAVERSE  
TOWN...



AHHH!  
I CAN'T  
EXPLAIN  
IT!

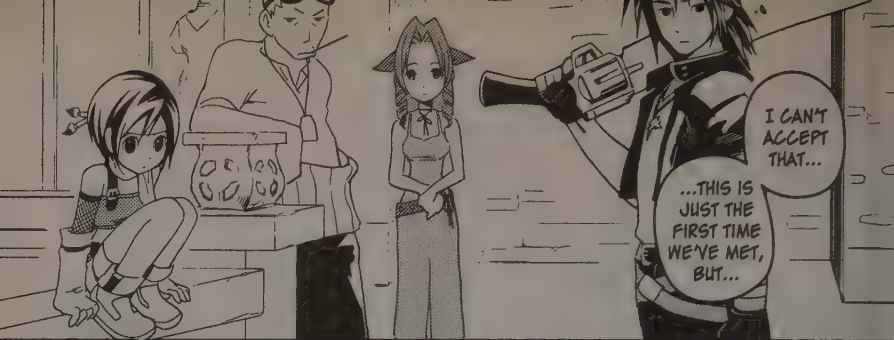
DON'T  
WORRY,  
WE DON'T  
EXPECT YOU  
TO.

THAT'S  
WHY THERE  
WAS A DOOR  
IN THE  
CASTLE...

...AND  
...

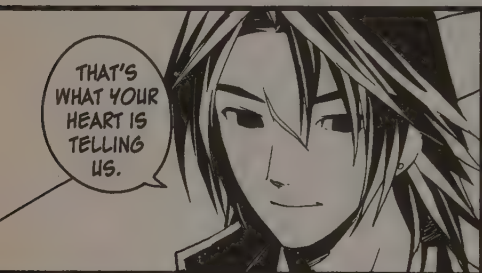


SO...  
THERE'S  
SOMEONE  
SPECIAL TO  
YOU IN THIS  
TOWN?

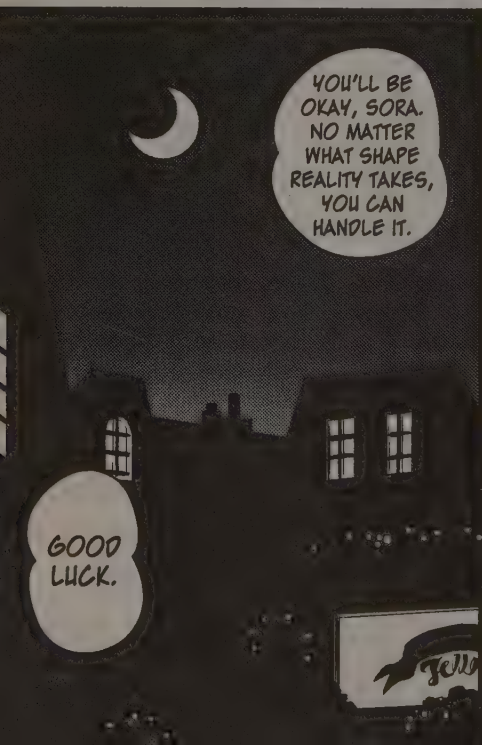


I CAN'T  
ACCEPT  
THAT...

...THIS IS  
JUST THE  
FIRST TIME  
WE'VE MET,  
BUT...



THAT'S  
WHAT YOUR  
HEART IS  
TELLING  
US.



YOU'LL BE  
OKAY, SORA.  
NO MATTER  
WHAT SHAPE  
REALITY TAKES,  
YOU CAN  
HANDLE IT.

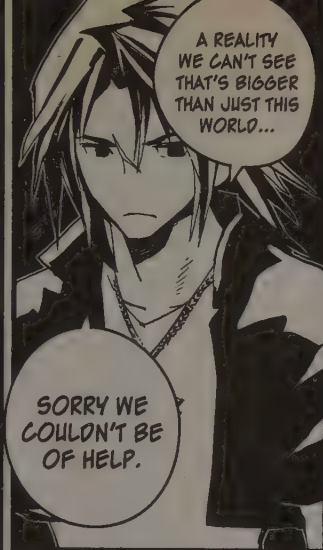
GOOD  
LUCK.



"WE MAY  
NEVER MEET  
AGAIN, BUT  
WE'LL NEVER  
FORGET EACH  
OTHER."

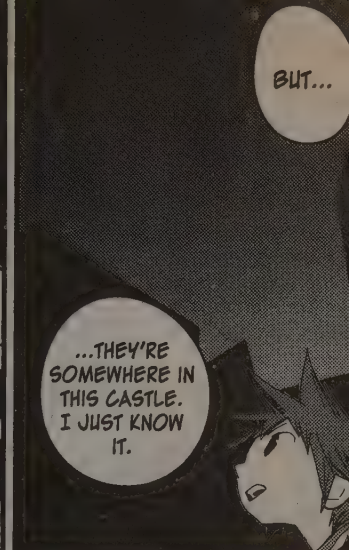


NOT  
AT ALL.



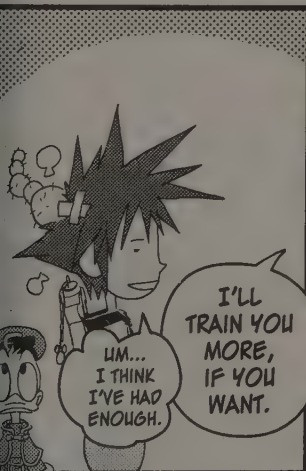
A REALITY  
WE CAN'T SEE  
THAT'S BIGGER  
THAN JUST THIS  
WORLD...

SORRY WE  
COULDN'T BE  
OF HELP.



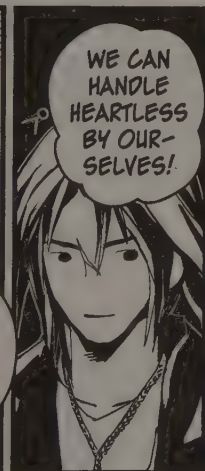
BUT...

...THEY'RE  
SOMEWHERE IN  
THIS CASTLE.  
I JUST KNOW  
IT.

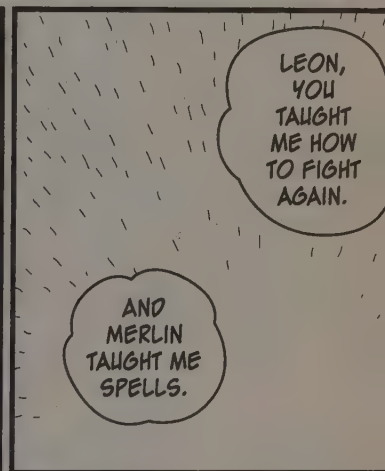


UM...  
I THINK  
I'VE HAD  
ENOUGH.

I'LL  
TRAIN YOU  
MORE,  
IF YOU  
WANT.

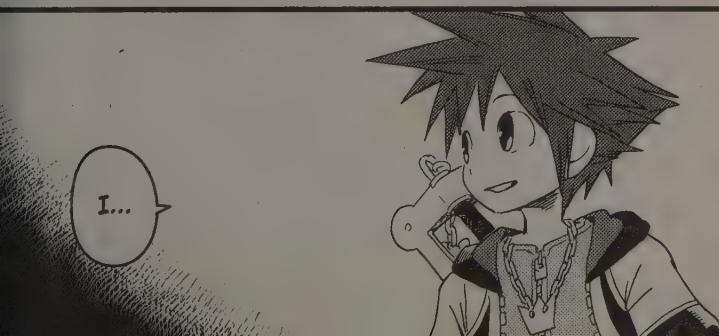


WE CAN  
HANDLE  
HEARTLESS  
BY OUR-  
SELVES!



LEON,  
YOU  
TAUGHT  
ME HOW  
TO FIGHT  
AGAIN.

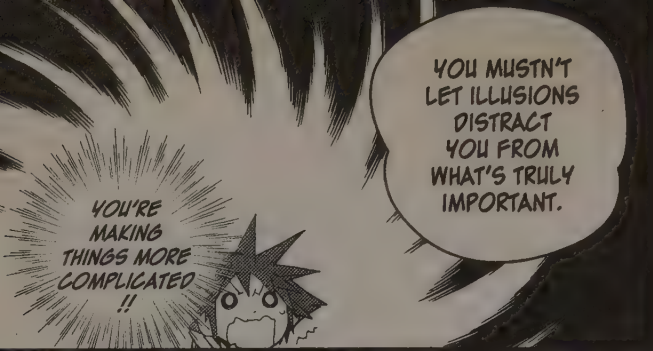
AND  
MERLIN  
TAUGHT ME  
SPELLS.



I...

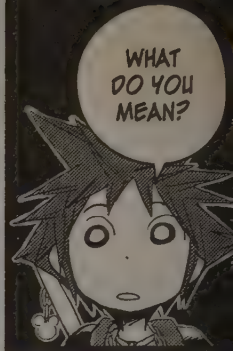
WELL,  
WE BETTER  
GET GOING.



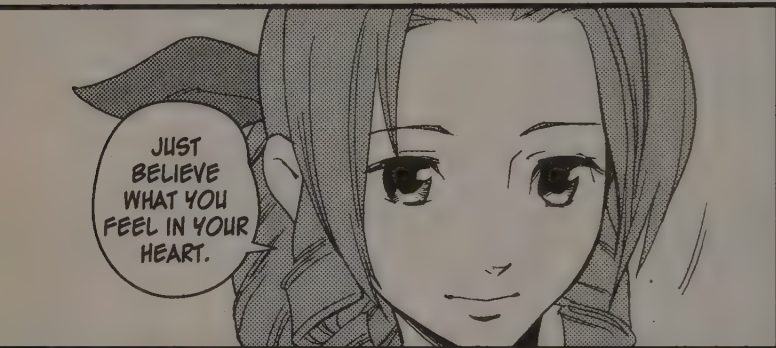


YOU MUSTN'T  
LET ILLUSIONS  
DISTRACT  
YOU FROM  
WHAT'S TRULY  
IMPORTANT.

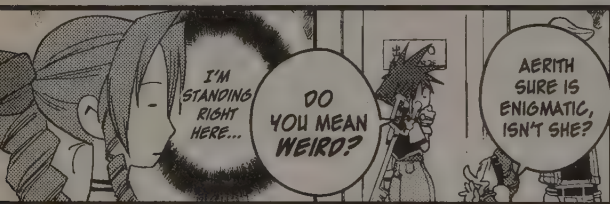
YOU'RE  
MAKING  
THINGS MORE  
COMPLICATED  
!!



WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN?



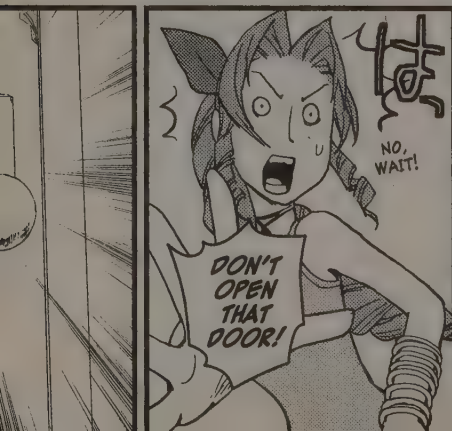
JUST  
BELIEVE  
WHAT YOU  
FEEL IN YOUR  
HEART.



I'M  
STANDING  
RIGHT  
HERE...

DO  
YOU MEAN  
WEIRD?

AERITH  
SURE IS  
ENIGMATIC,  
ISN'T SHE?



DON'T  
OPEN  
THAT  
DOOR!

NO,  
WAIT!



OKAY.

# EXIT

Castle Oblivion 2F

NOTHING  
VENTURED,  
NOTHING  
GAINED.

SEEMS  
LIKE WE'RE  
WALKING RIGHT  
INTO ANOTHER  
TRAP...

SORA!

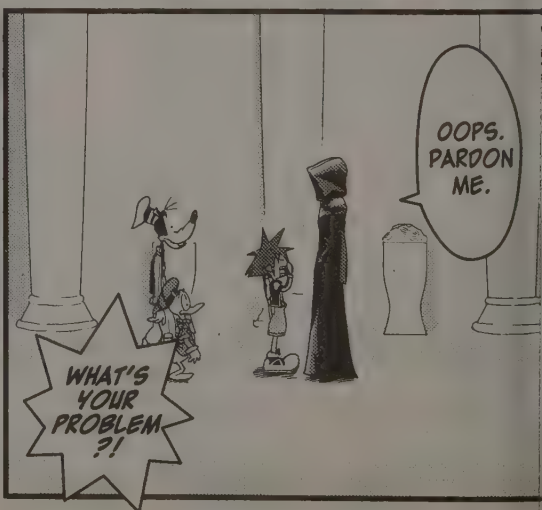
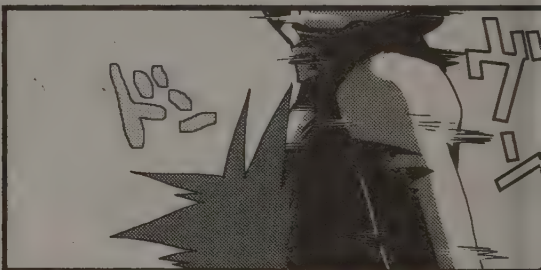
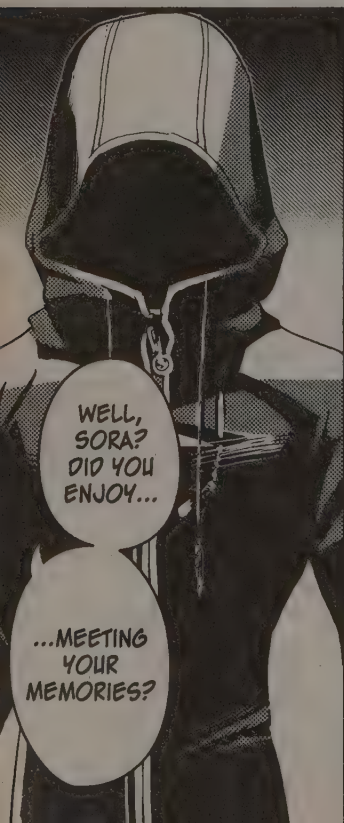
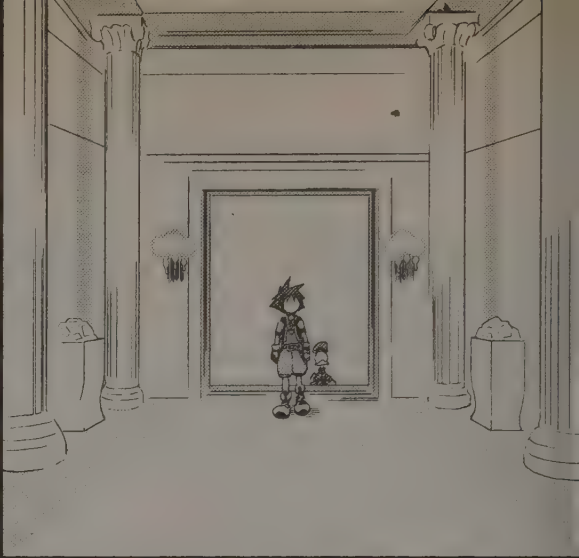
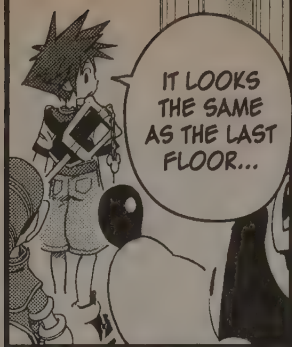
IS THIS  
WHERE  
WE GET  
OUT?

SORA...

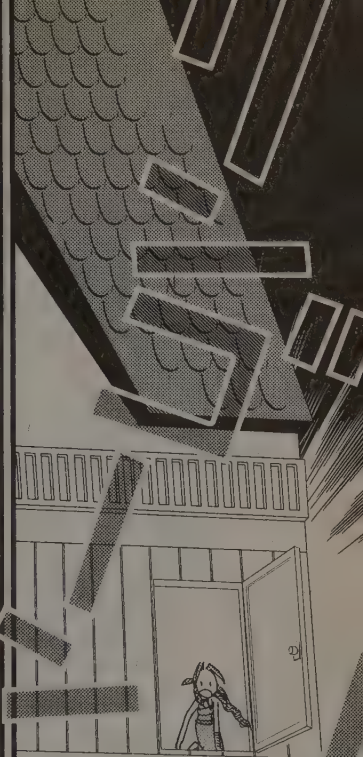
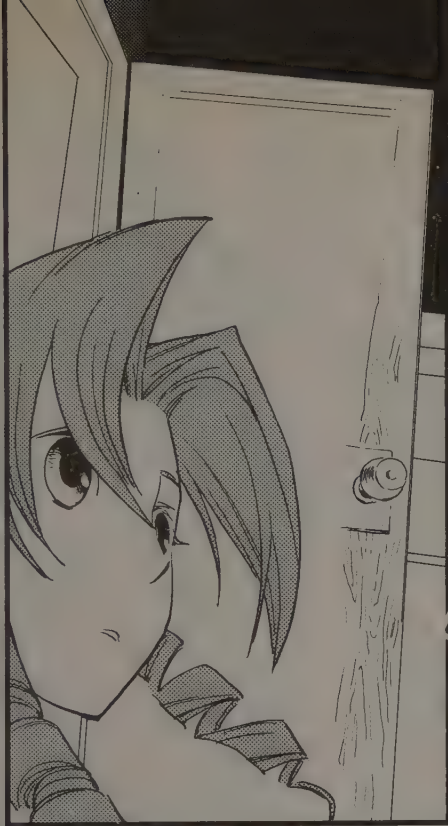
BEWARE  
YOUR  
MEMORIES.

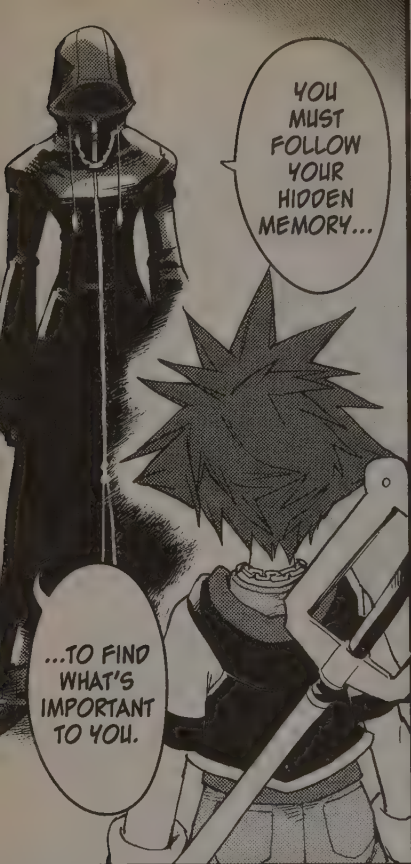
AERITH.

THERE'S  
SOMETHING  
I THOUGHT  
YOU  
SHOULD  
KNOW.









YOU  
MUST  
FOLLOW  
YOUR  
HIDDEN  
MEMORY...

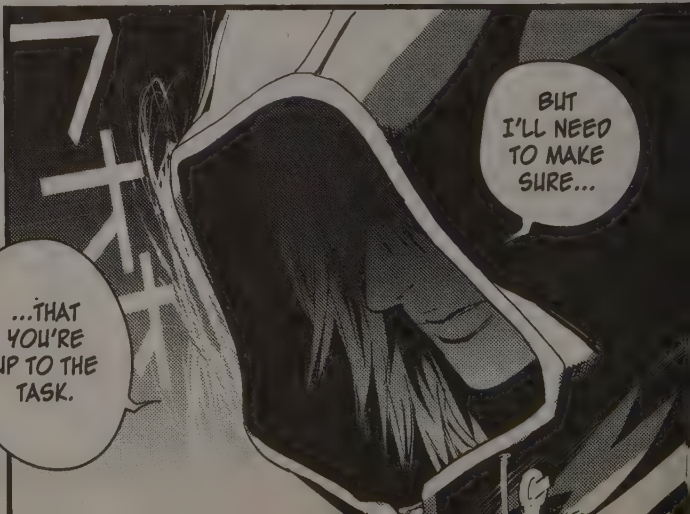
...TO FIND  
WHAT'S  
IMPORTANT  
TO YOU.



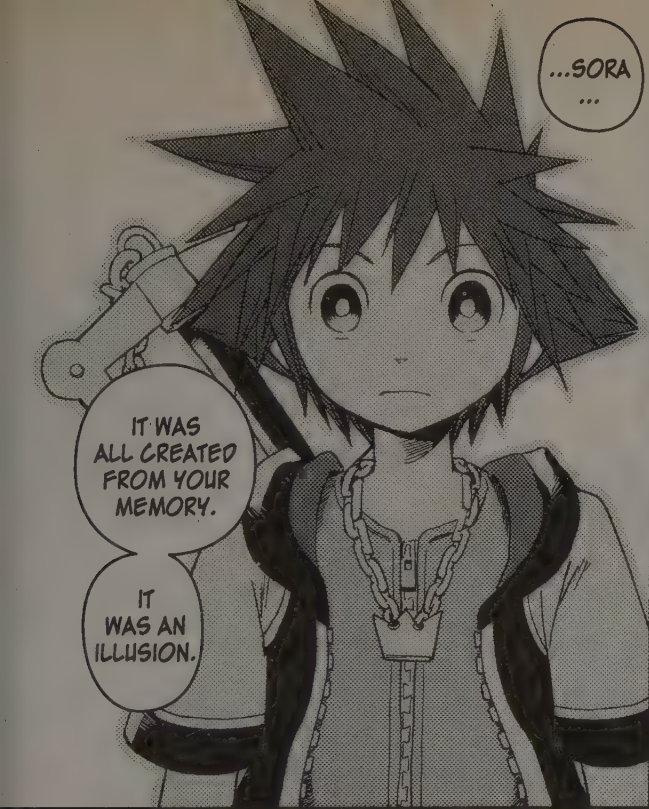
DON'T  
YOU WANT  
TO REUNITE  
WITH YOUR  
FRIENDS?



...THAT  
YOU'RE  
UP TO THE  
TASK.



BUT  
I'LL NEED  
TO MAKE  
SURE...



...SORA ...

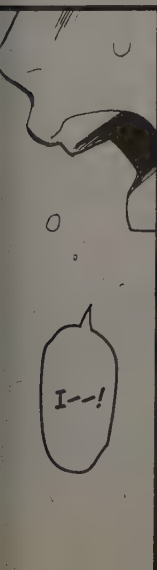
IT WAS  
ALL CREATED  
FROM YOUR  
MEMORY.

IT  
WAS AN  
ILLUSION.

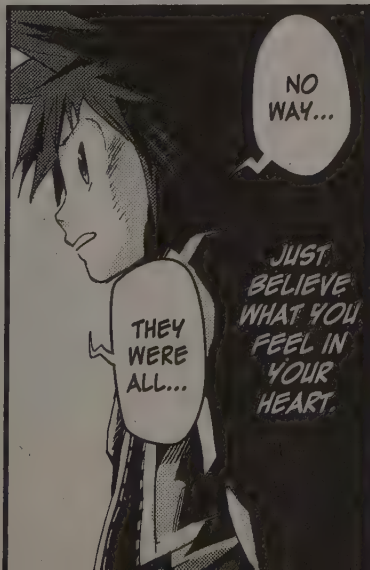


WHAT  
?

THE  
TOWN YOU  
ALL JUST  
SAW...



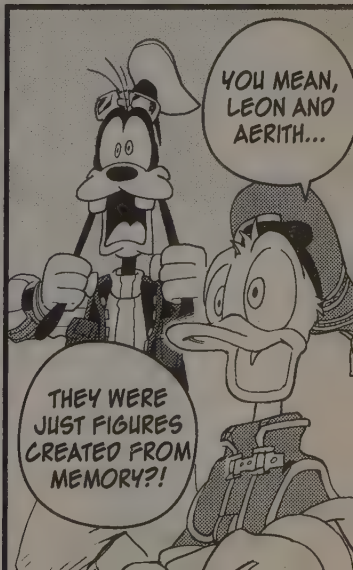
I--!



NO  
WAY...

THEY  
WERE  
ALL...


JUST  
BELIEVE  
WHAT YOU  
FEEL IN  
YOUR  
HEART.



YOU MEAN,  
LEON AND  
AERITH...

THEY WERE  
JUST FIGURES  
CREATED FROM  
MEMORY?!





WELL  
THEN, I'LL  
GO CHECK  
ON IT.

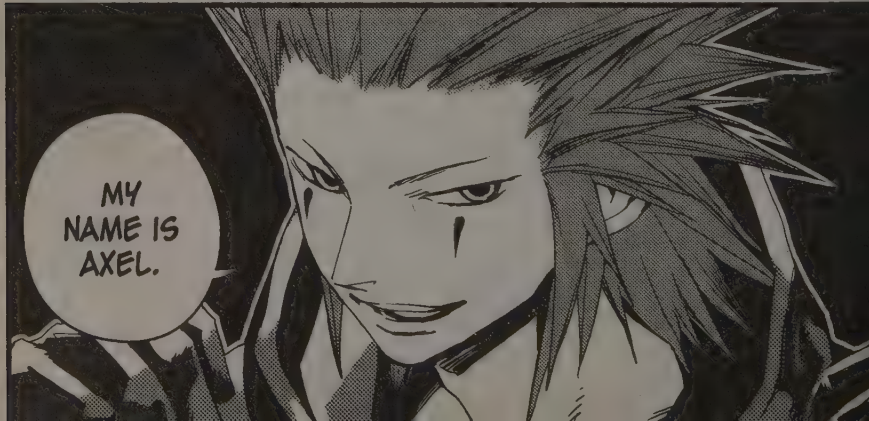


LOOKS  
LIKE IT'S  
MY SHOW  
NOW...

...KEY-  
BLADE  
MASTER.



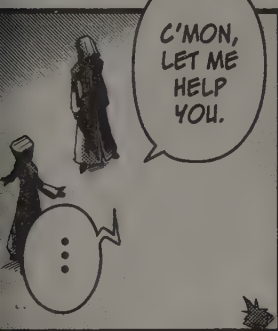
SEE  
YA...



MY  
NAME IS  
AXEL.



ANO-  
THER  
ONE?!

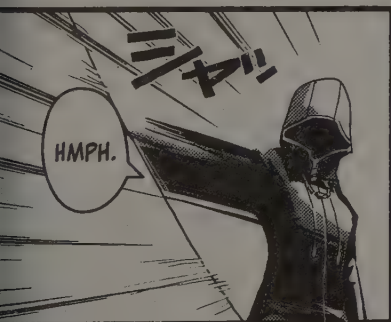


C'MON,  
LET ME  
HELP  
YOU.

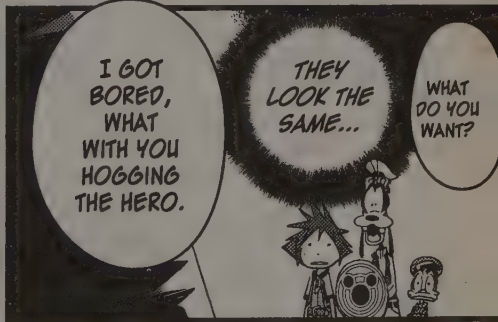


MIND  
IF I JOIN  
YOU?

SOUNDS  
FUN.



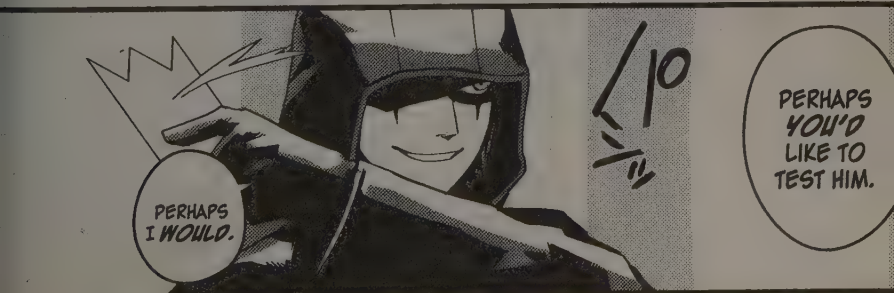
HMPH.



I GOT  
BORED,  
WHAT  
WITH YOU  
HOGGING  
THE HERO.


THEY  
LOOK THE  
SAME...

WHAT  
DO YOU  
WANT?



PERHAPS  
I WOULD.

PERHAPS  
YOU'D  
LIKE TO  
TEST HIM.



NOW THAT  
WE'RE ON A  
FIRST-NAME  
BASIS...

...DON'T  
GO DYING  
ON ME!





WELL,  
THEN...

UM...  
SURE.

GOOD.

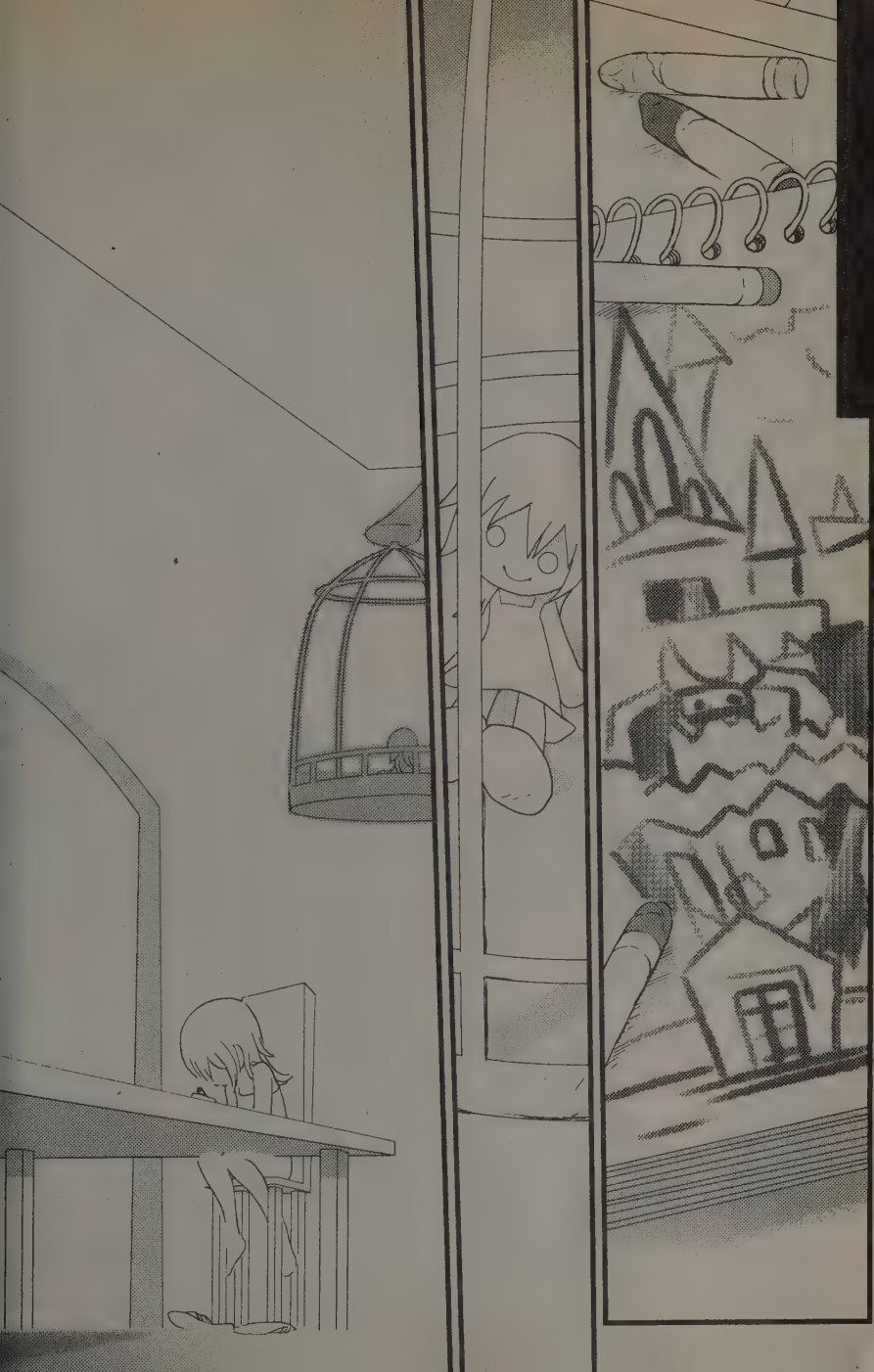
COMMIT  
IT TO  
MEMORY.

!!!

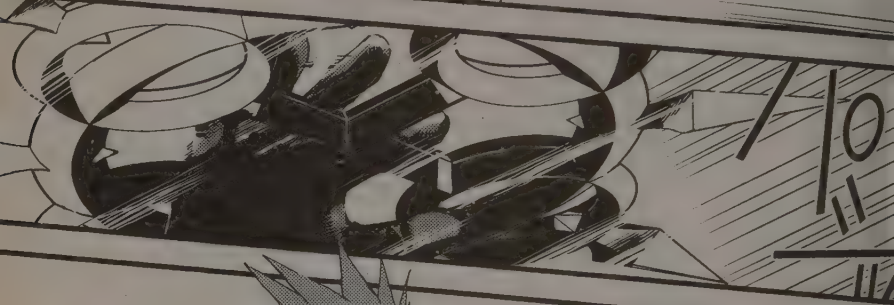
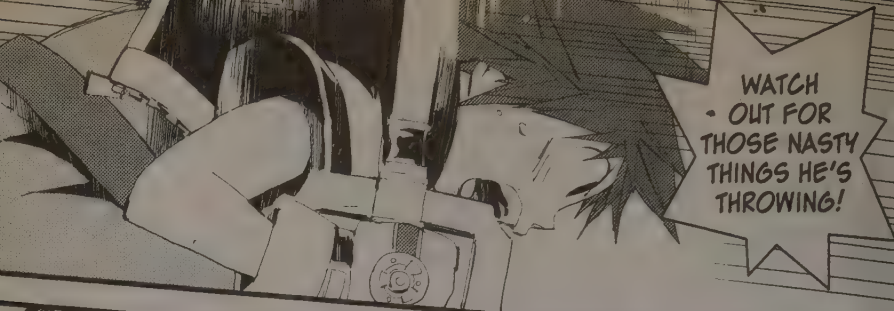
LET THE  
GAMES  
BEGIN.



Cards 03  
Organization  
XIII





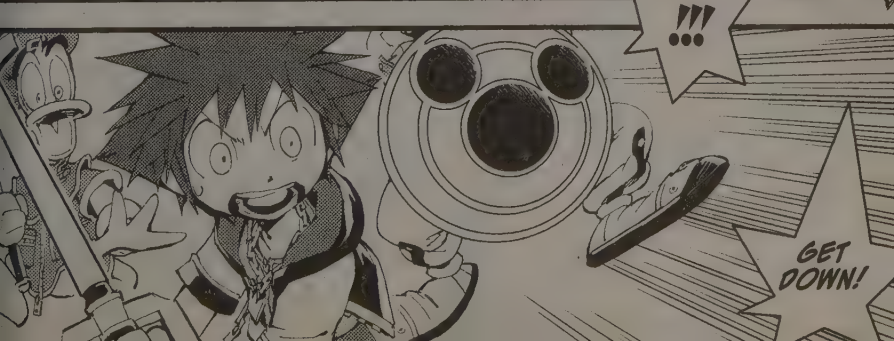




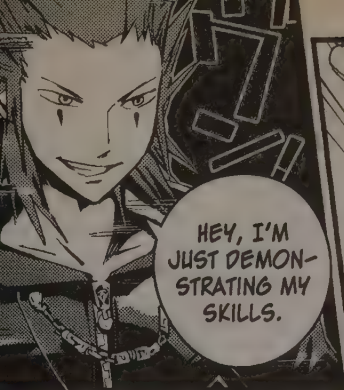
HERE I  
COME!



!!!



GET  
DOWN!

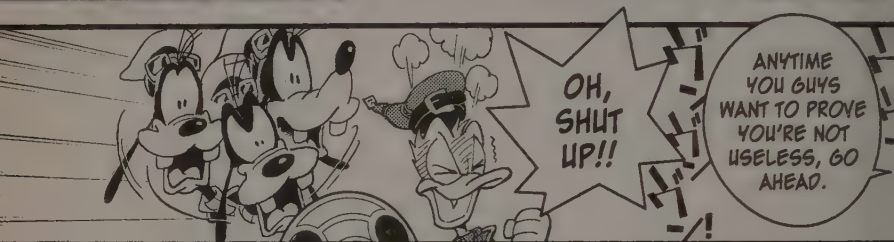


HEY, I'M  
JUST DEMON-  
STRATING MY  
SKILLS.



THAT'S  
RIGHT!

WARPING IS  
CHEATING!



OH,  
SHUT  
UP!!

ANYTIME  
YOU GUYS  
WANT TO PROVE  
YOU'RE NOT  
USELESS, GO  
AHEAD.



TAKE  
THIS!

!!!  
...





TRY  
DODGING  
THIS!



NOW...

UGH...

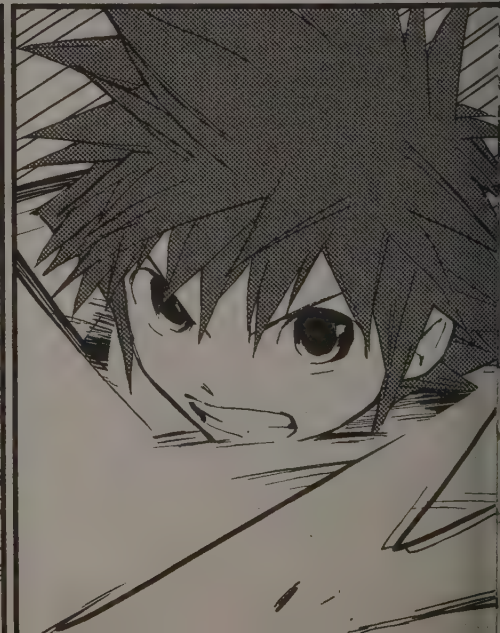


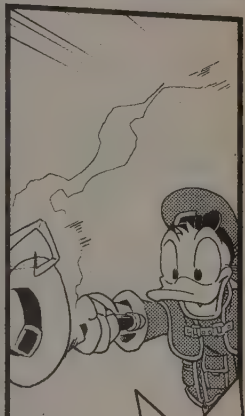
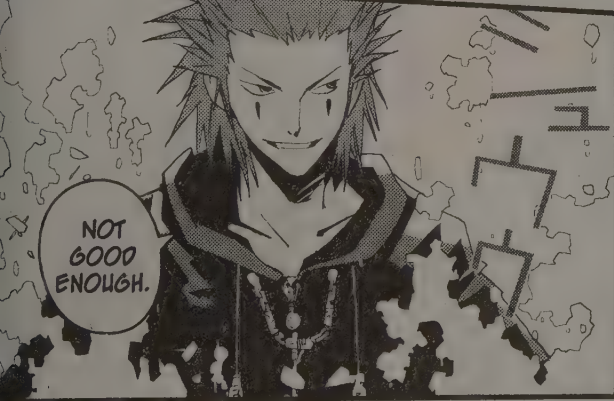
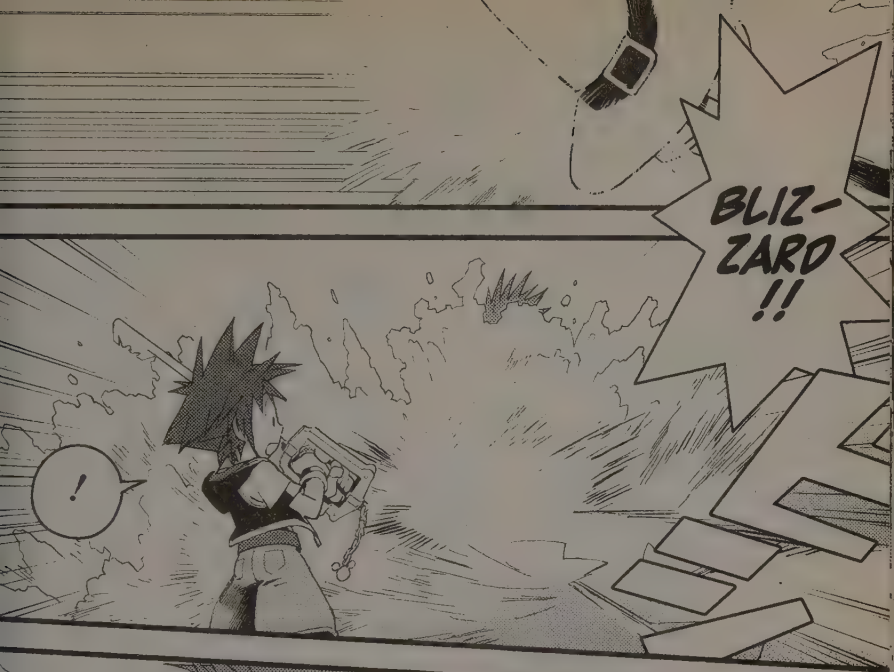
THAT'S  
ENOUGH  
!



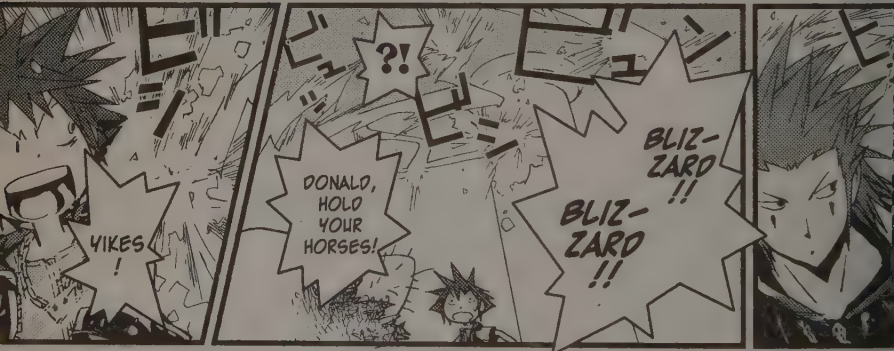
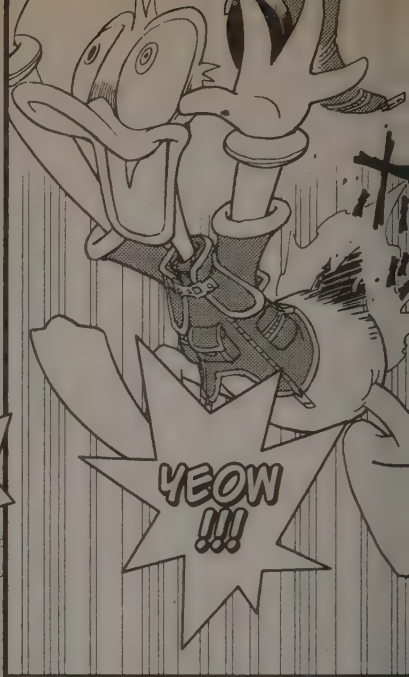
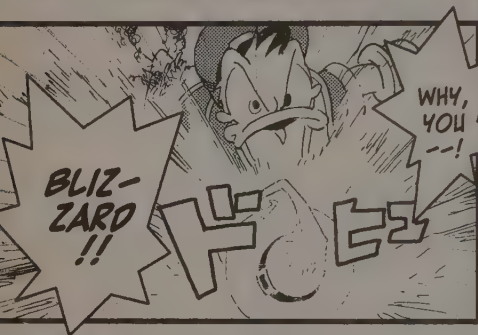
NOT BAD,  
NOT BAD.

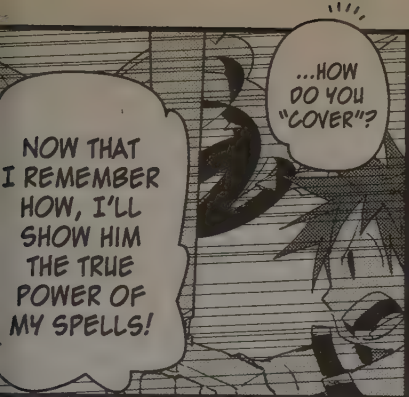
LOOKS  
LIKE YOU  
HAVEN'T  
**COMPLETELY**  
FORGOTTEN  
YOUR  
MOVES.



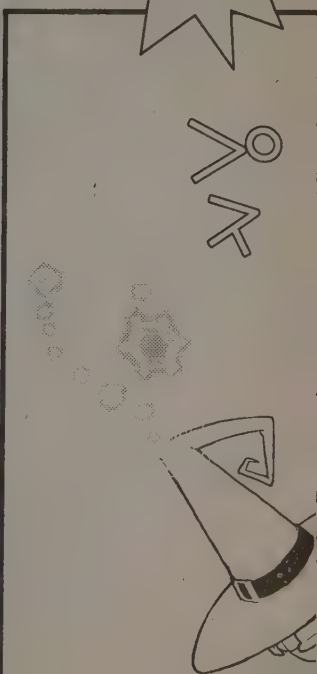
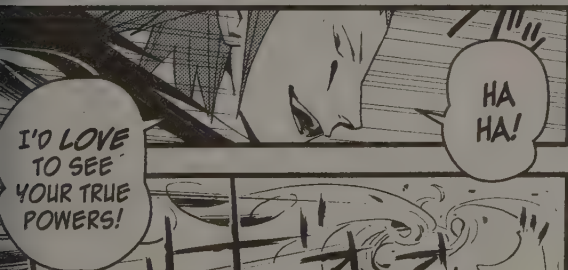
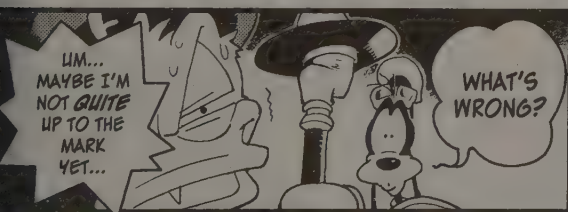
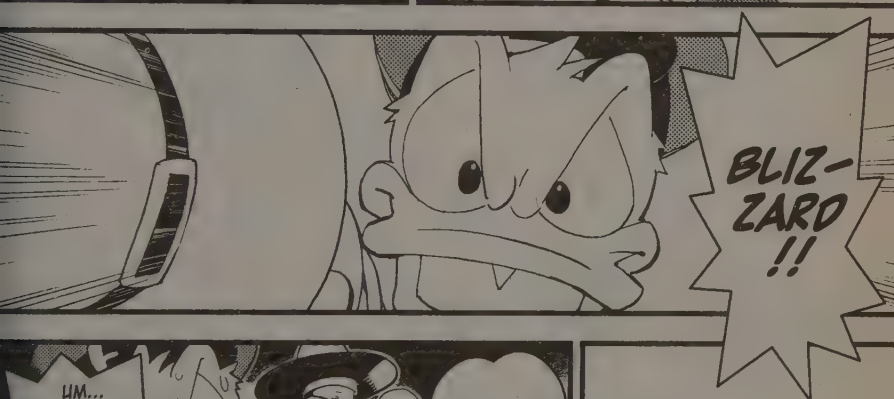
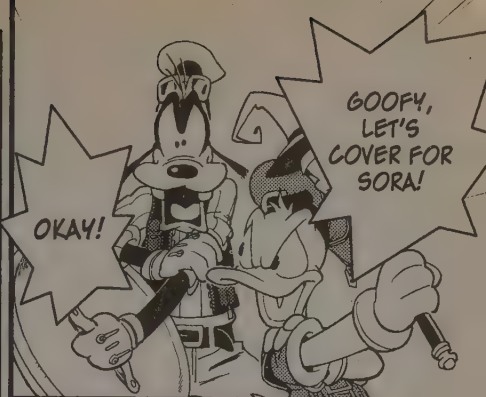


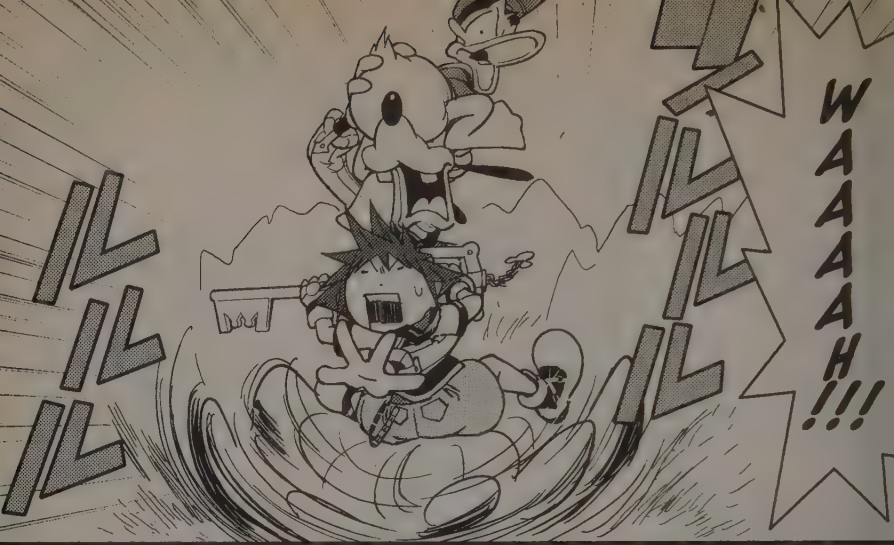






...HOW DO YOU "COVER"?

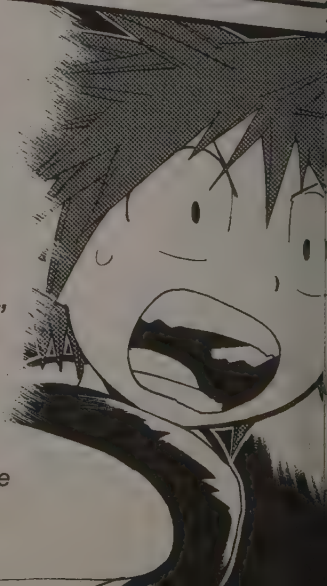




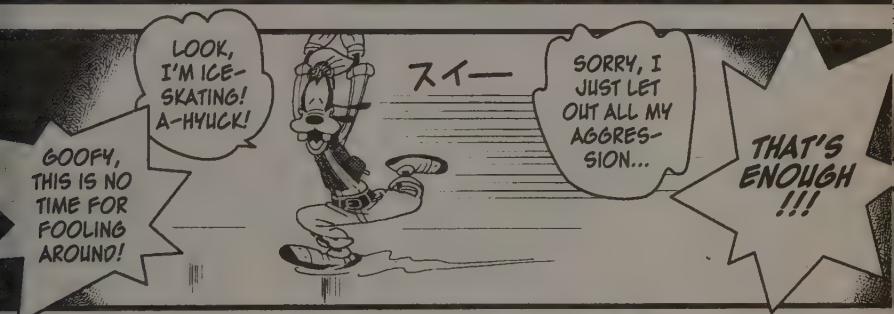
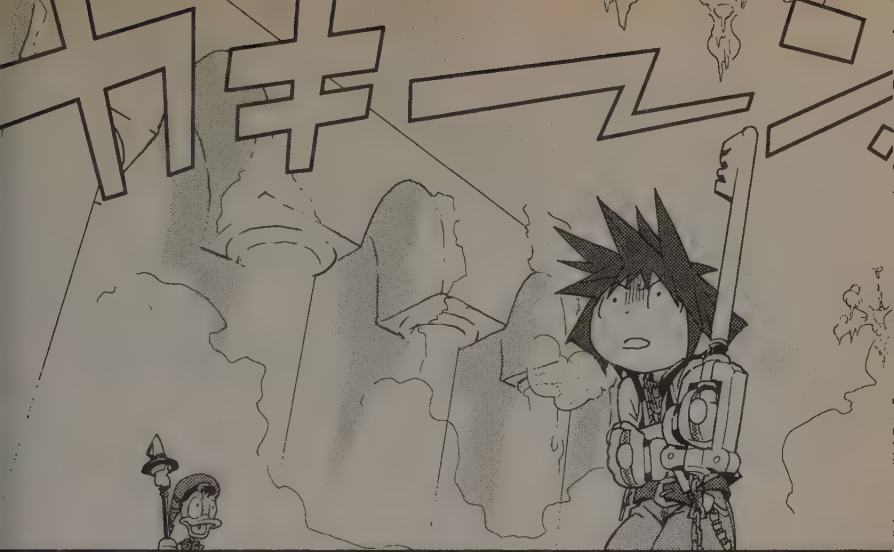
TRINITY  
POWER  
ACTIVATE.

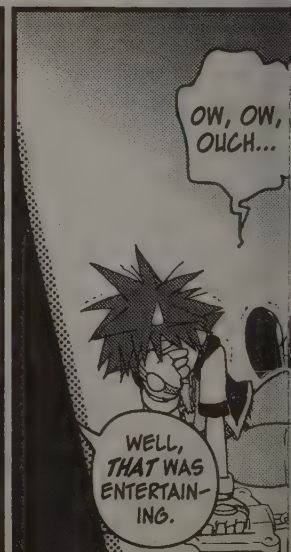
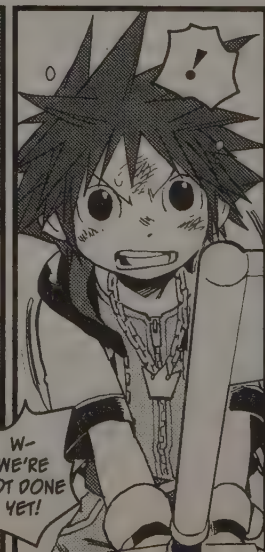
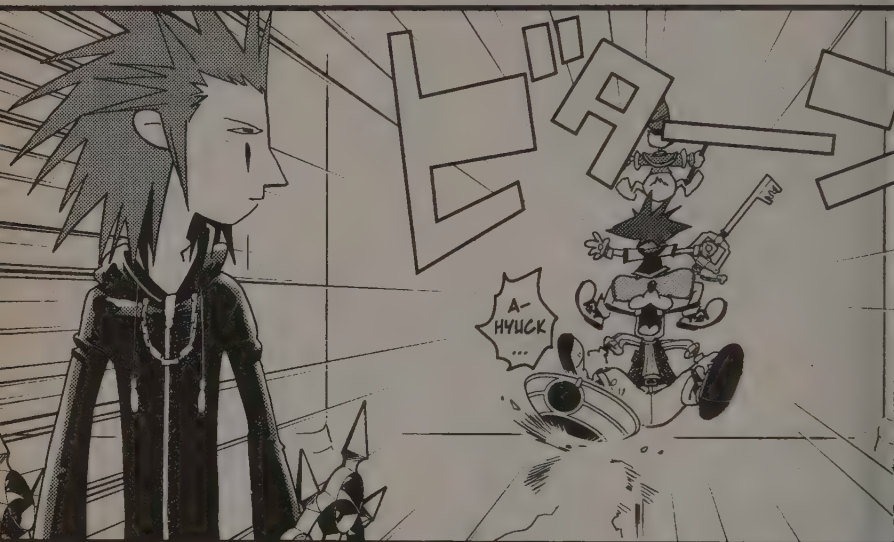
There are times  
in life when one  
is forced into a  
corner. When  
facing such a  
grave situation,  
it is advisable  
to utilize the  
power of "trinity,"  
also known as  
the power of  
friendship.

[Excerpt from *Life Once  
More* by martial artist  
Shihoro Okada]







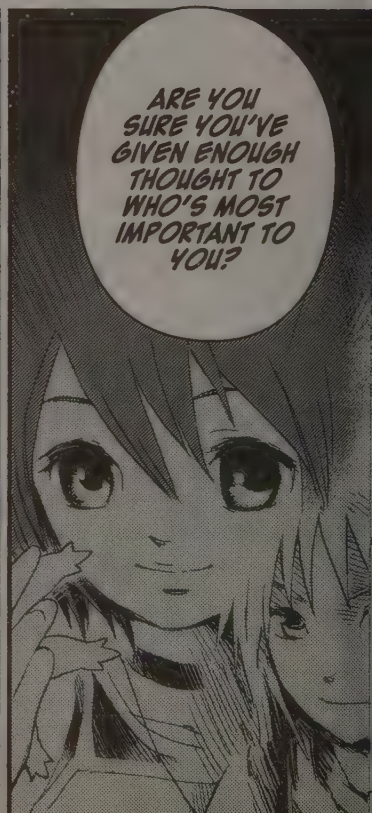
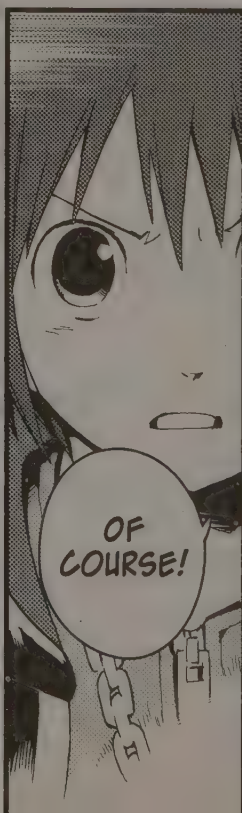
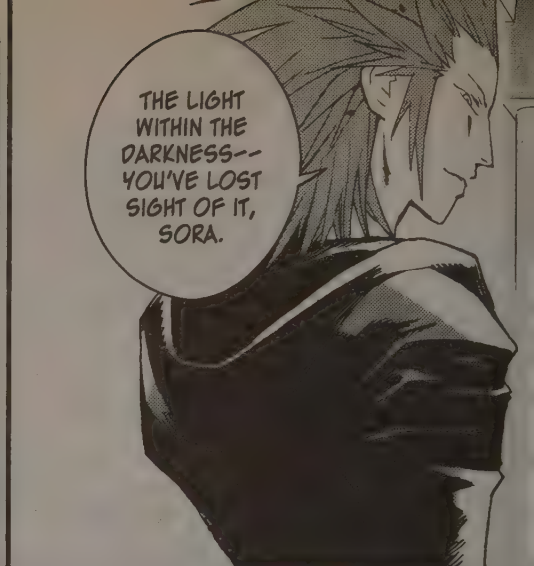
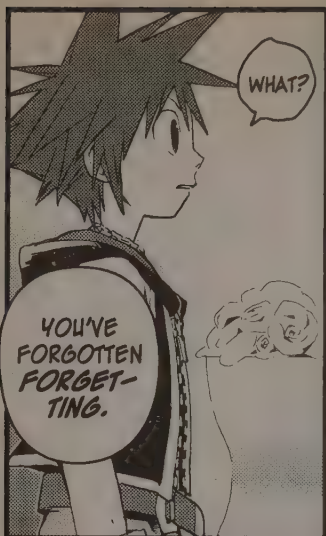


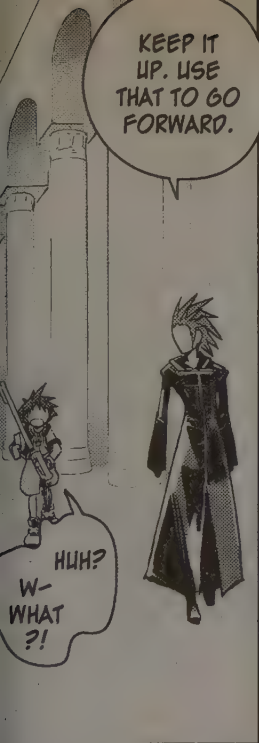


**ABSOLUTE  
ZERO  
FRIENDSHIP  
BOARDING  
!!!**

**CHAAARGE  
!!**







KEEP IT  
UP. USE  
THAT TO GO  
FORWARD.

HUH?

W-  
WHAT  
?!



YOU  
PASSED.

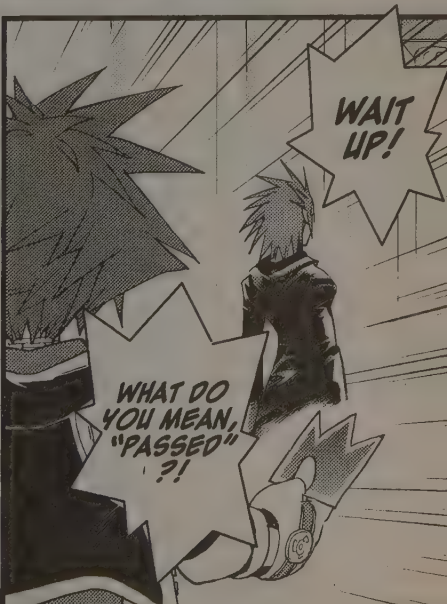
CONGRAT-  
ULATIONS,  
SORA.



OH, I  
THINK WE  
ARE...

WE'RE  
NOT  
FINISHED  
WITH  
YOU!

I'LL  
GET  
YOU  
YET!



WAIT  
UP!

WHAT DO  
YOU MEAN,  
"PASSED"  
?!

...YOU MAY  
NO LONGER  
BE YOU.

WHEN YOUR  
SLEEPING  
MEMORIES  
AWAKEN...

?!



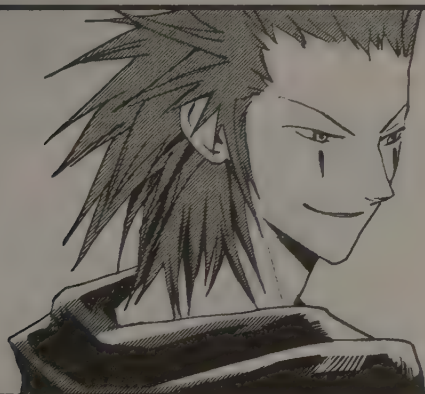
It's...





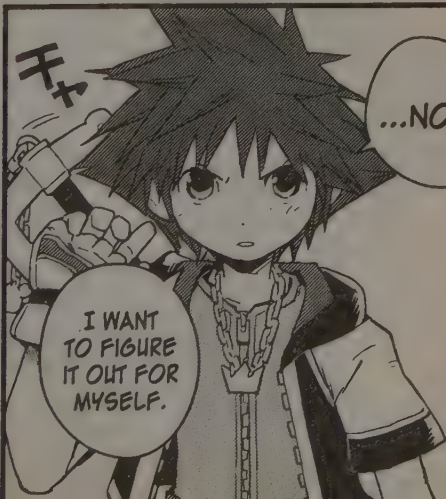
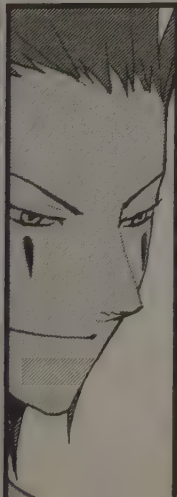
...OUT  
OF REACH.  
BUT YOU CAN  
FIND YOURS,  
SORA.

OUR MOST  
PRECIOUS  
MEMORIES LIE  
DEEP IN OUR  
HEARTS...



WOULD  
YOU LIKE  
A HINT?

JUST WHAT  
I'D EXPECT.  
BUT BE  
FORE-  
WARNED...



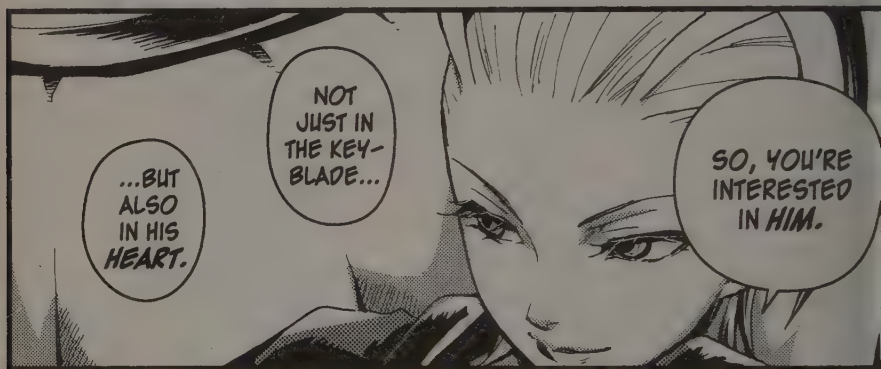
...NO!

I WANT  
TO FIGURE  
IT OUT FOR  
MYSELF.



HOW RUDE.

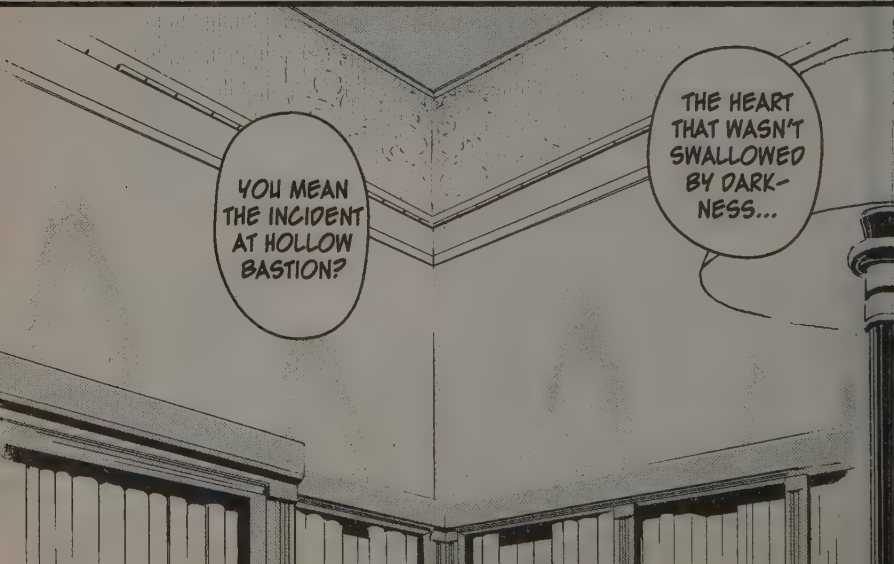
DISTASTEFUL  
CRUELTY ISN'T  
MY STYLE,  
LARXENE.



...BUT  
ALSO  
IN HIS  
HEART.

NOT  
JUST IN  
THE KEY-  
BLADE...

SO, YOU'RE  
INTERESTED  
IN HIM.




YOU MEAN  
THE INCIDENT  
AT HOLLOW  
BASTION?

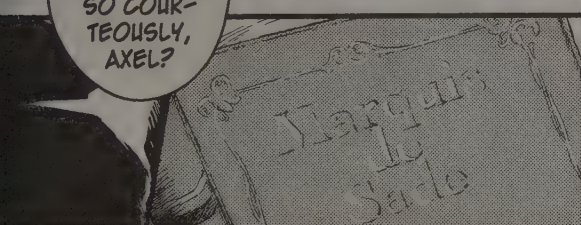
THE HEART  
THAT WASN'T  
SWALLOWED  
BY DARK-  
NESS...



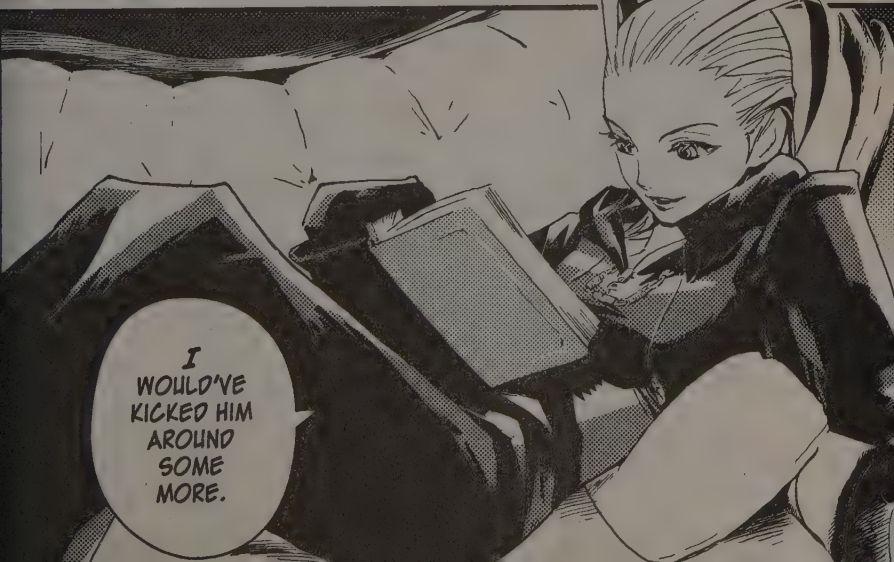
THIS  
SORA KID'S  
MEMORIES  
ARE PRETTY  
INTRIGUING.



BUT WHY  
WERE YOU  
TREATING HIM  
SO COUR-  
TEOUSLY,  
AXEL?



Margaux  
de  
Sade



I  
WOULD'VE  
KICKED HIM  
AROUND  
SOME  
MORE.

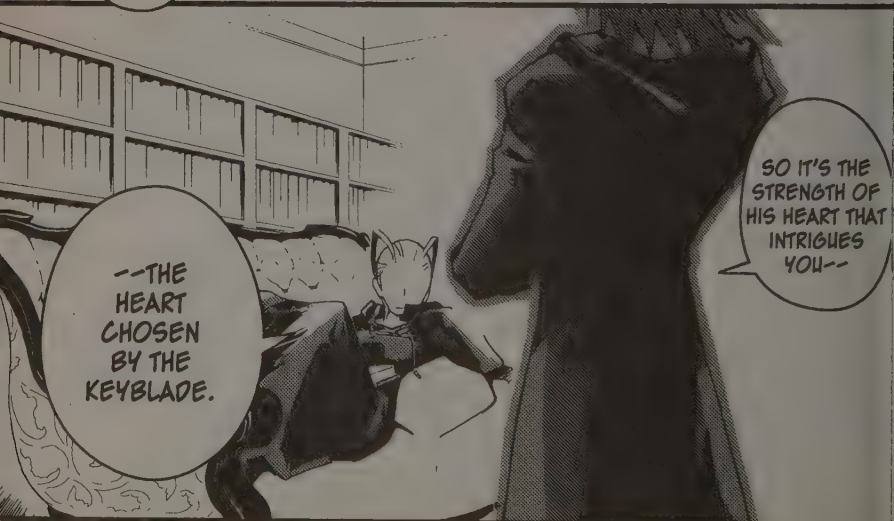




RIGHT. BUT  
THAT DIDN'T  
HAPPEN TO  
SORA.

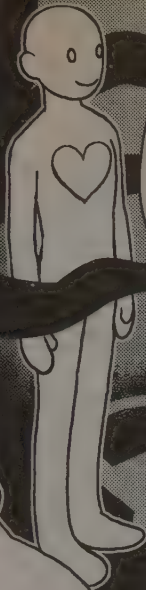
HE HELD  
ON TO HIS  
FEELINGS,  
EVEN AS A  
HEARTLESS.

WHY?

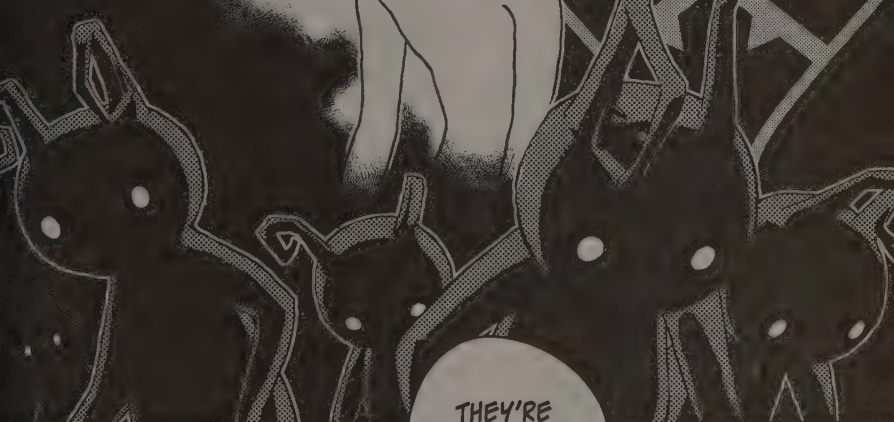

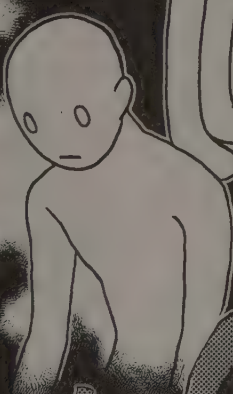


--THE  
HEART  
CHOSEN  
BY THE  
KEYBLADE.


SO IT'S THE  
STRENGTH OF  
HIS HEART THAT  
INTRIGUES  
YOU--



PEOPLE  
WHO LOSE THEIR  
HEARTS ALSO LOSE  
THEIR MINDS, THEIR  
FEELINGS...



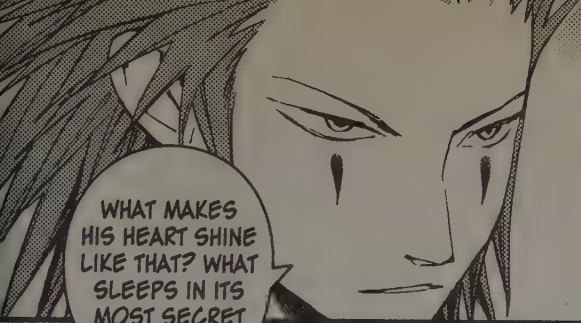
THEY'RE  
CONSUMED  
BY THE  
DARKNESS.



SO AS  
LONG AS I'M  
IN CHARGE  
OF CASTLE  
OBLIVION...

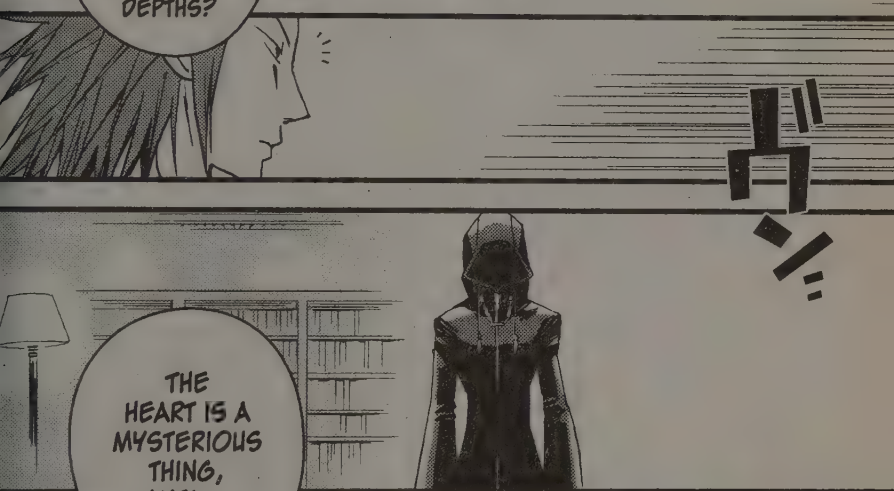
...WE WILL  
FOLLOW  
THROUGH  
WITH THE  
PLAN.






WHAT MAKES  
HIS HEART SHINE  
LIKE THAT? WHAT  
SLEEPS IN ITS  
MOST SECRET  
DEPTHS?

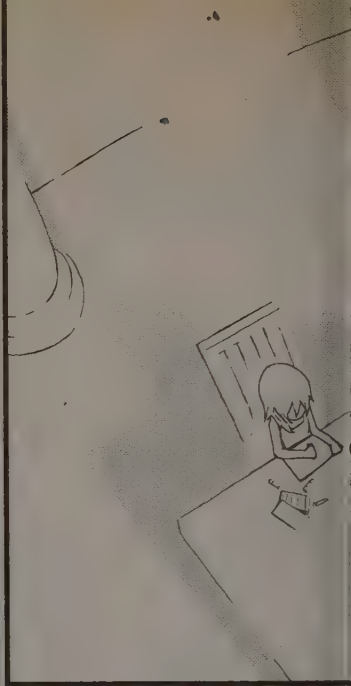
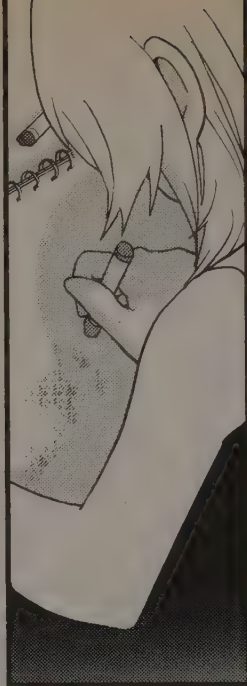
HE IS  
LITERALLY  
THE KEY.



THE  
HEART IS A  
MYSTERIOUS  
THING,  
AXEL...



...BUT  
UNLOCKING  
ITS SECRETS  
IS THE WHOLE  
REASON WE, THE  
ORGANIZATION,  
EXIST.

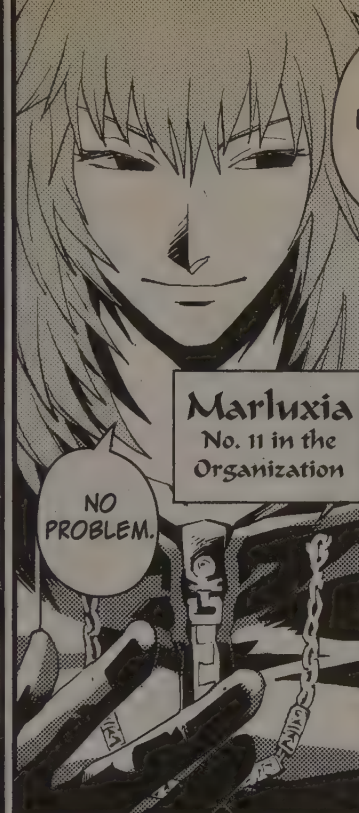




**Axel**

No. 8 in the  
Organization

EVERYTHING  
IS UNDER  
CONTROL.



HEY,  
LEADER, SO  
HOW WAS  
IT?

**Marluxia**

No. 11 in the  
Organization

NO  
PROBLEM.



**Larxene**

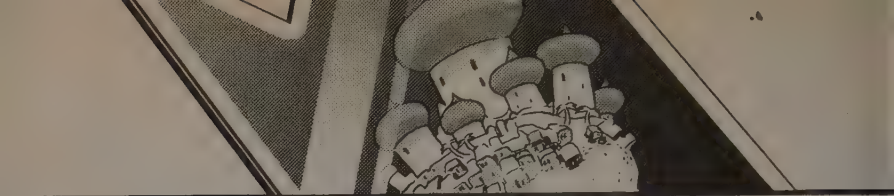
No. 12 in the  
Organization



ABOUT  
NAMINÉ...

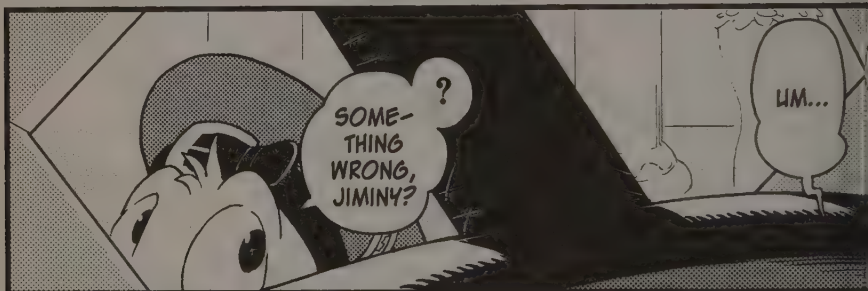
WHEN IS  
SORA GOING TO  
REMEMBER?





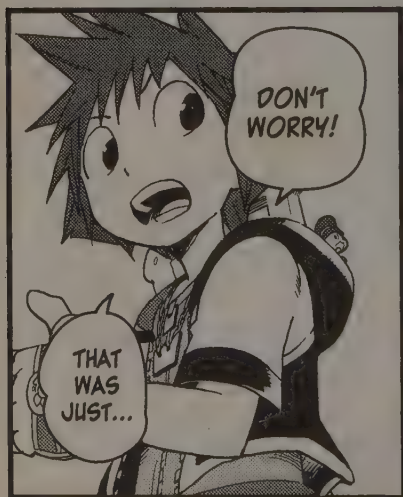
I HOPE  
WE FIND  
THE KING  
AND RIKU.

SO, WHAT  
WORLD ARE  
WE GOING  
TO NEXT?



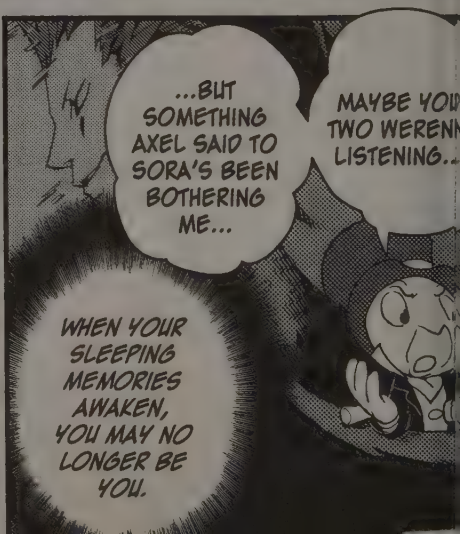
?  
SOME-  
THING  
WRONG,  
JIMINY?

UM...



DON'T  
WORRY!


THAT  
WAS  
JUST...



...BUT  
SOMETHING  
AXEL SAID TO  
SORA'S BEEN  
BOTHERING  
ME...

MAYBE YOU  
TWO WEREN'T  
LISTENING...

WHEN YOUR  
SLEEPING  
MEMORIES  
AWAKEN,  
YOU MAY NO  
LONGER BE  
YOU.



NAPTIME  
IS OVER!

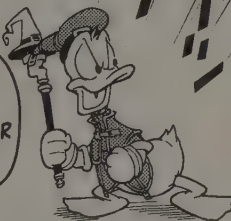
WAKE  
UP, YOU  
GUYS!



HUH?  
WHERE'S  
AXEL?




UH,  
KINDA  
LATE FOR  
THAT...



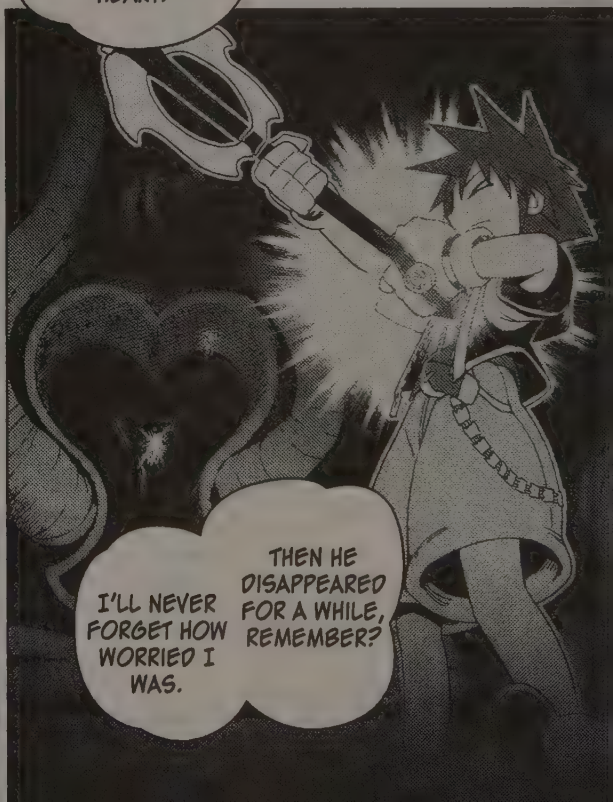
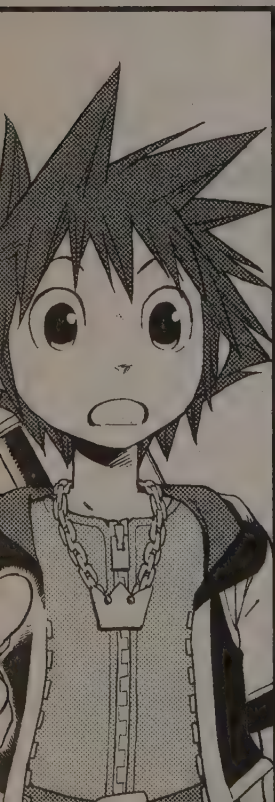
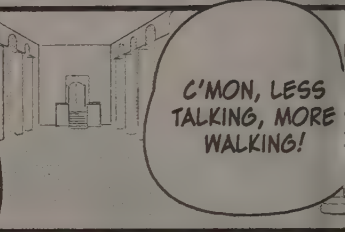
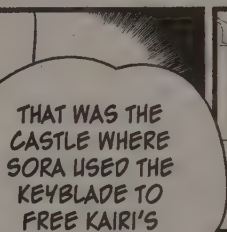
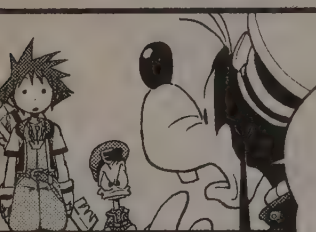
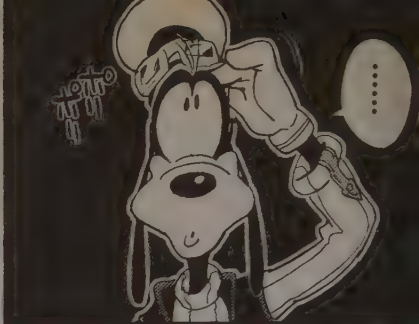
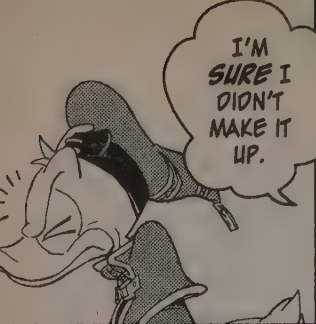
A-  
HYUCK.

THAT'S  
NICE OF  
HIM!

TALK  
ABOUT  
HAPPY-  
GO-  
LUCKY...



HE SAID  
TO GO  
FORWARD  
USING THIS  
CARD.





...SOME-  
THING HE SAID  
TO SOUND  
MYSTERIOUS.

SINCE  
A TOWN  
APPEARED  
FROM SORA'S  
MEMORY...

...JUST  
ABOUT  
**ANYTHING**  
COULD  
HAPPEN  
IN THIS  
CASTLE!

A-  
HYUCK.

EVERYTHING'S  
SO SIMPLE  
TO YOU...

HEY, REMEMBER  
THAT OTHER CASTLE  
WE EXPLORED  
TOGETHER?  
WITH ALL THE  
CONTRAPTIONS?

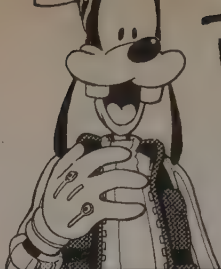
GAWRSH,  
DON'T TELL  
ME YOU  
FORGOT?!

GOOFY,  
YOU SURE  
YOU DIDN'T  
MAKE IT UP?

...

WHEN  
WAS  
THAT?

I  
FORGOT  
ABOUT  
THE JIMINY  
MEMO.



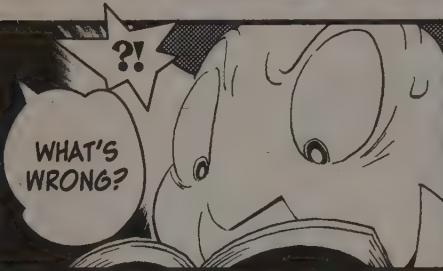
ホッ

GREAT  
IDEA.



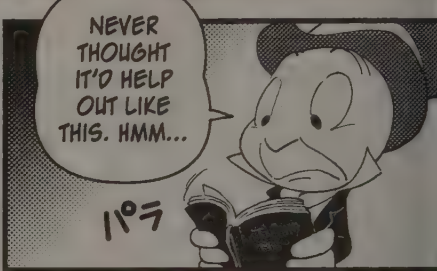
?!  
WHAT'S  
WRONG?

WHAT'S  
WRONG?

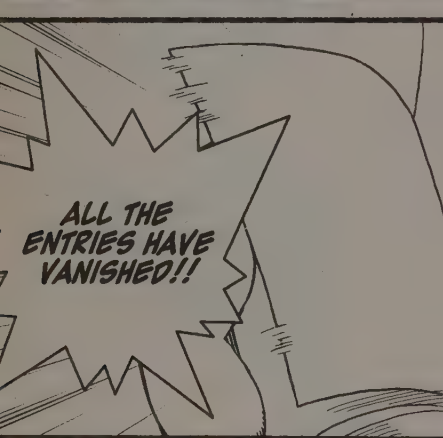


NEVER  
THOUGHT  
IT'D HELP  
OUT LIKE  
THIS. HMM...

パラ



ALL THE  
ENTRIES HAVE  
VANISHED!!

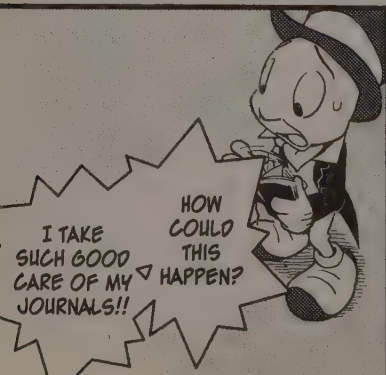


TH-  
THIS ISN'T  
POSSIBLE!



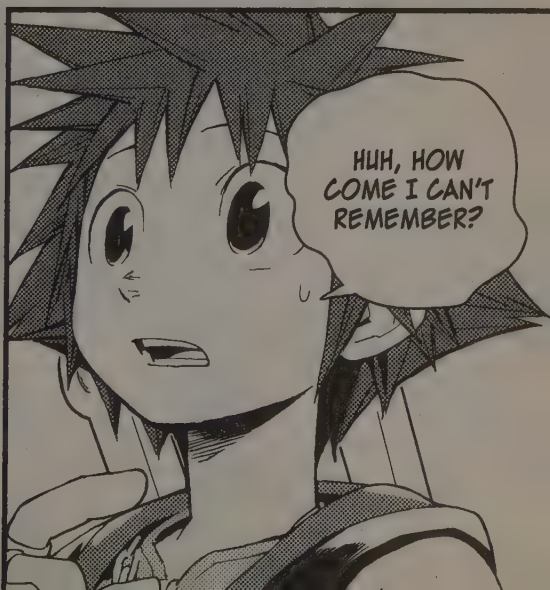
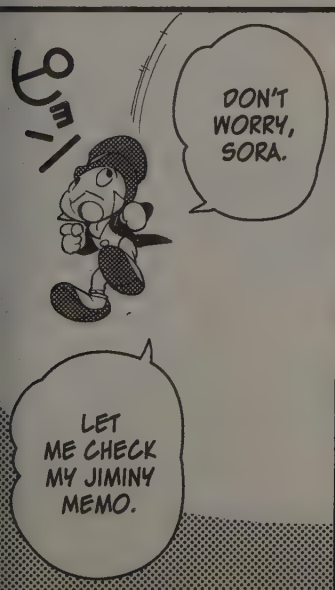
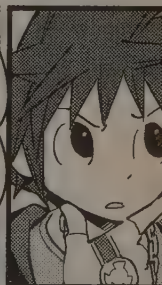
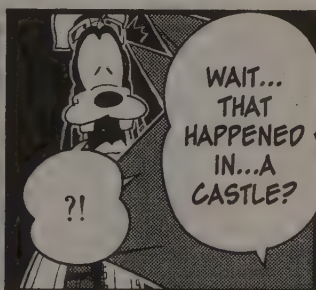
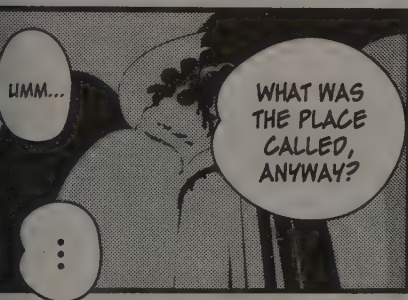
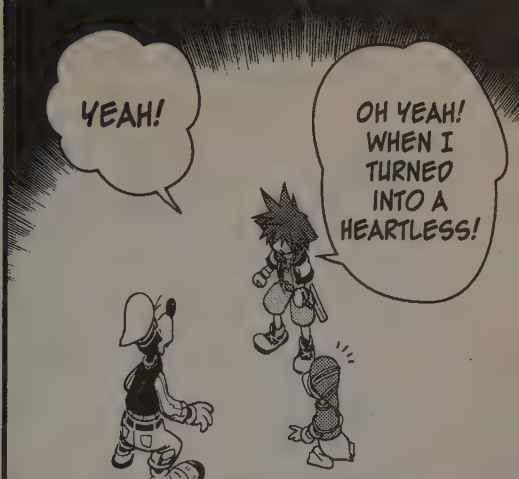
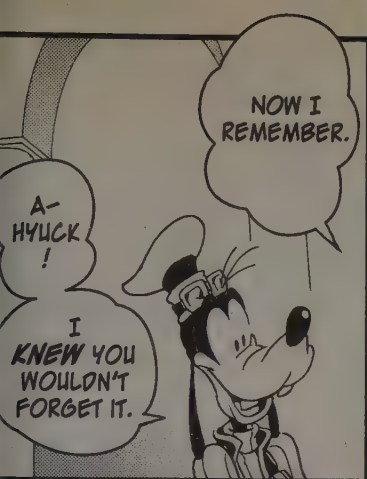
I TAKE  
SUCH GOOD  
CARE OF MY  
JOURNALS!!

HOW  
COULD  
THIS  
HAPPEN?



WHAT?!









IS IT  
DARK, OR  
BRIGHT?


I  
DON'T  
FEEL  
ANY-  
THING.

WHAT'S  
GOING  
ON?

WHERE  
AM I...  
?

# Card 04

## Scent of Darkness



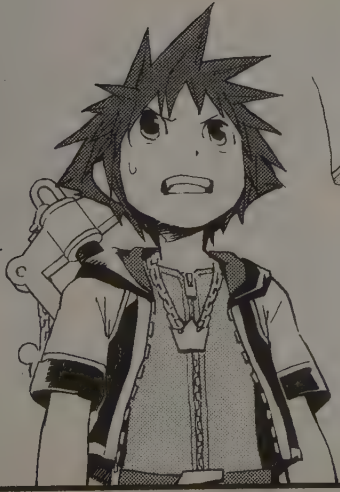
ALL THAT  
HARD WORK,  
GONE...

EVERY  
PAGE...IS  
BLANK.



IT  
MEANS  
...

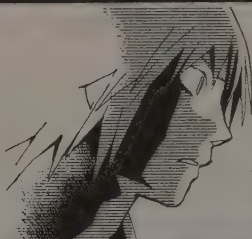
...THAT WE'RE  
LOSING OUR  
MEMORY!



WHAT KIND  
OF CASTLE  
IS THIS...?!

IT'S SO  
HEAVY...

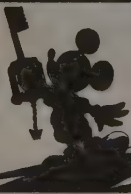
IT.  
WON'T  
BUDGE!



IF I  
CAN GET  
THROUGH  
THIS  
DOOR...

...I CAN GO  
BACK TO MY  
WORLD WITH  
SORA AND  
KAIRI...

DON'T  
GIVE  
UP!!

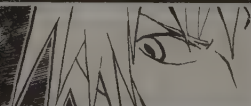


NOW,  
SORA! LET'S  
CLOSE THIS  
DOOR FOR  
GOOD!

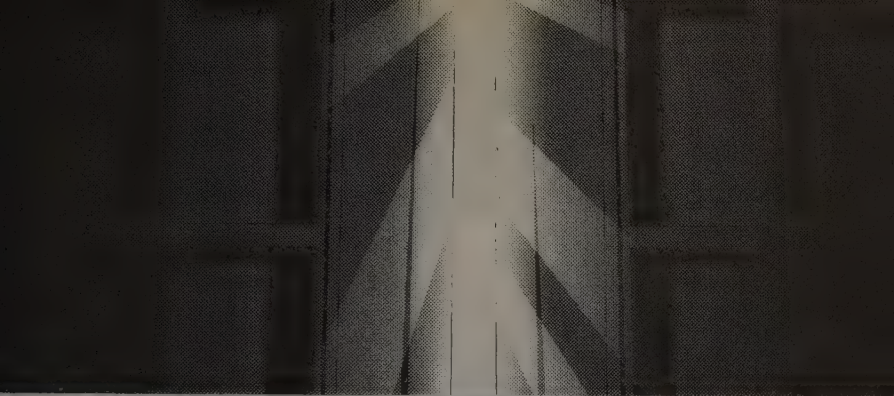
BUT WHAT'LL  
HAPPEN TO  
YOU TWO?

HURRY!

COME ON,  
SORA!  
TO-  
GETHER,  
WE CAN  
DO IT!







KING  
MICKEY  
?



KING,  
WHERE  
ARE  
YOU?

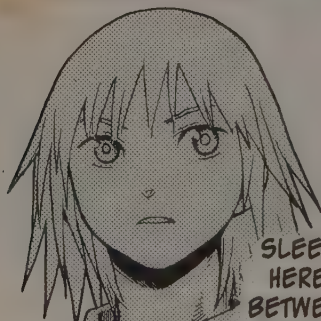


AND AFTER  
THAT... GRR,  
WHY CAN'T I  
REMEMBER?



DID I  
ESCAPE  
FROM THE  
DARK-  
NESS?

THE  
KING!

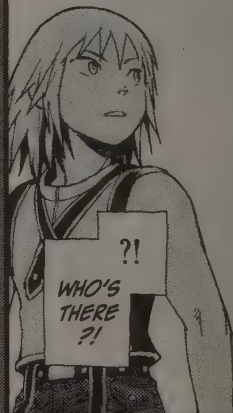


SLEEP, AND  
LEAVE THE  
WAR WITH  
DARKNESS IN  
HIS HANDS.

SLEEP.  
HERE,  
BETWEEN  
LIGHT AND  
DARK.

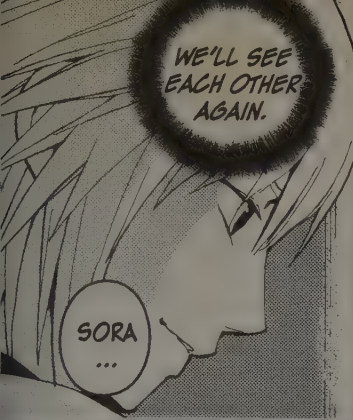
BETWEEN...  
WHAT?

YOUR  
KING  
IS FAR  
AWAY.



?!

WHO'S  
THERE  
?!



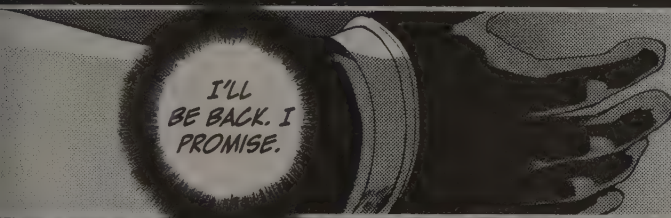
WE'LL SEE  
EACH OTHER  
AGAIN.

SORA  
...



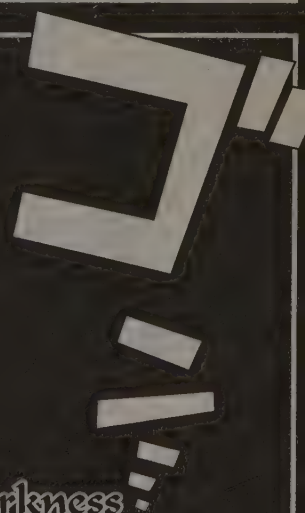
THERE WILL  
ALWAYS BE A  
DOOR TO THE  
LIGHT.

DON'T  
WORRY.



I'LL  
BE BACK. I  
PROMISE.

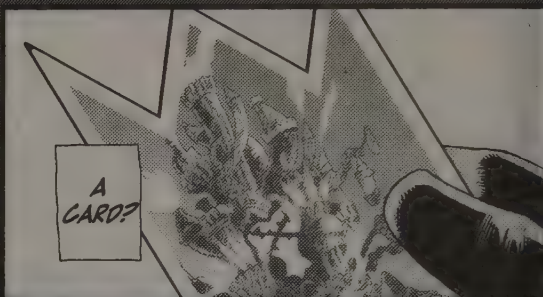
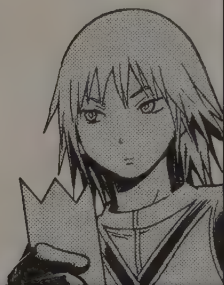
TAKE  
CARE OF  
KAIRI,  
WILL  
YOU?



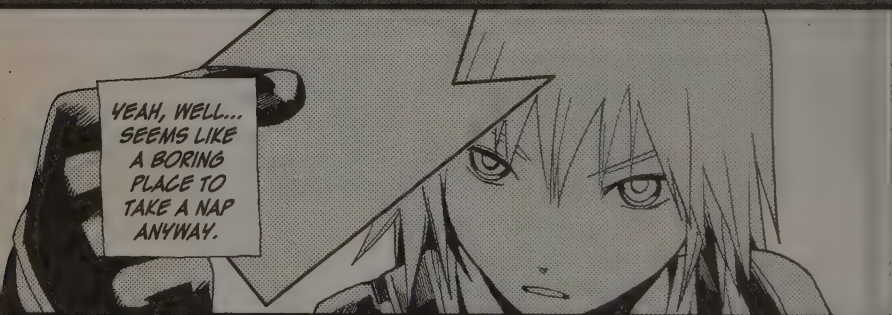
To close the door of darkness  
from both sides, you need two keys  
and two hearts.



BUT KNOW THIS:  
THE TRUTH WILL  
BRING YOU PAIN.  
WILL YOU STILL  
GO? THERE CAN  
BE NO RETURNING  
TO THE SWEET  
SECURITY  
OF SLEEP.



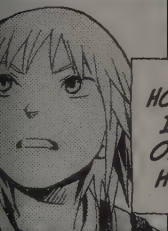
YEAH, WELL...  
SEEMS LIKE  
A BORING  
PLACE TO  
TAKE A NAP  
ANYWAY.



WELL SAID,  
RIKU.

HERE, BLANKETED  
BY DARKNESS,  
SLEEP IS SAFETY.  
SLEEP IS ETERNAL.

THE THORNY LIGHT  
OF AWAKENING WILL  
BRING ONLY ANGUISH  
TO ONE IN YOUR  
STATE. TURN FROM  
THE LIGHT. SHUT  
YOUR EYES.

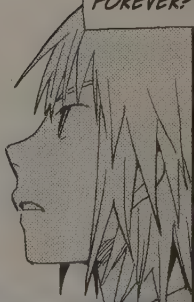


HOW DO  
I GET  
OUT OF  
HERE?

LIGH  
!



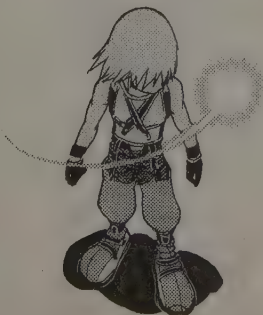
YOU'VE  
GOT TO  
BE KID-  
DING!



YOU WANT  
ME TO  
SLEEP  
HERE  
FOREVER?

IT IS A DOOR TO THE  
TRUTH. TAKE IT, AND  
YOUR SLEEP ENDS.

TAKE IT, AND TAKE THE  
FIRST STEP TOWARD  
THE TRUTH.



WHAT'S  
THIS?



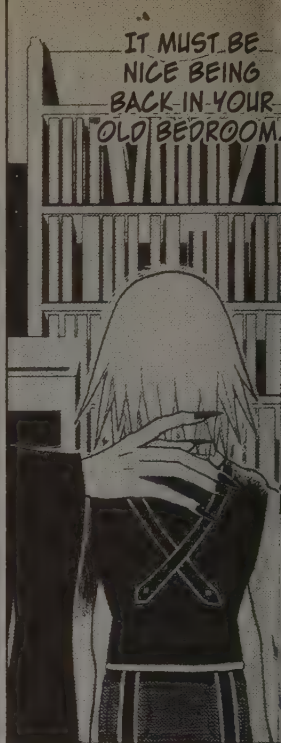
TO REACH THE  
OUTSIDE WORLD,  
YOU PASSED  
THROUGH THE DOOR  
TO DARKNESS!

AND YOU  
LIVED HERE,  
TEMPTED BY THE  
DARKNESS SHE  
OFFERED.

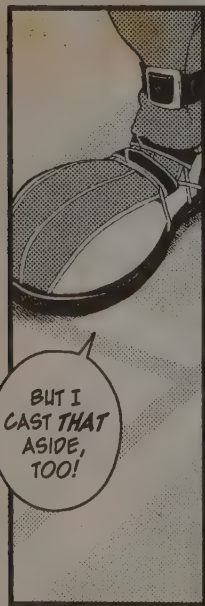


NOT  
REALLY.

SORRY,  
BUT THESE  
MEMORIES  
I COULD DO  
WITHOUT.



IT MUST BE  
NICE BEING  
BACK IN YOUR  
OLD BEDROOM.



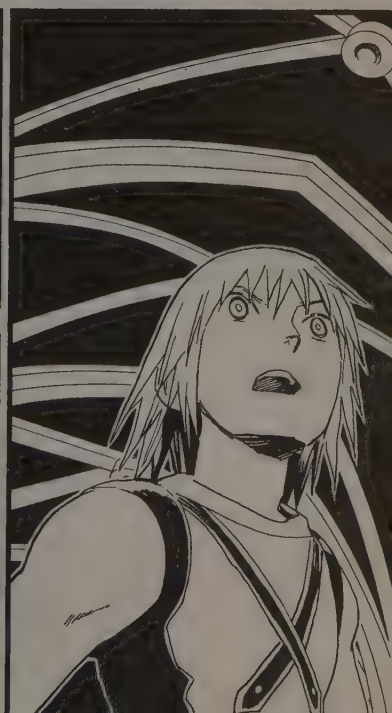
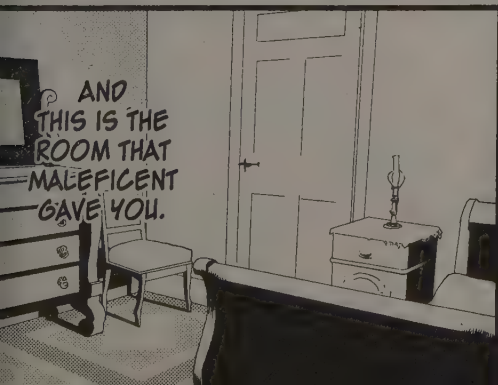
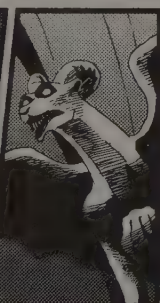
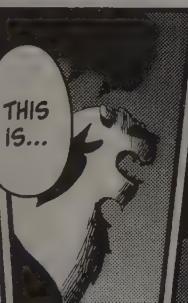
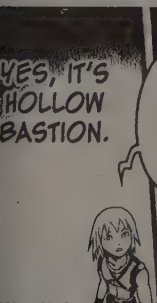
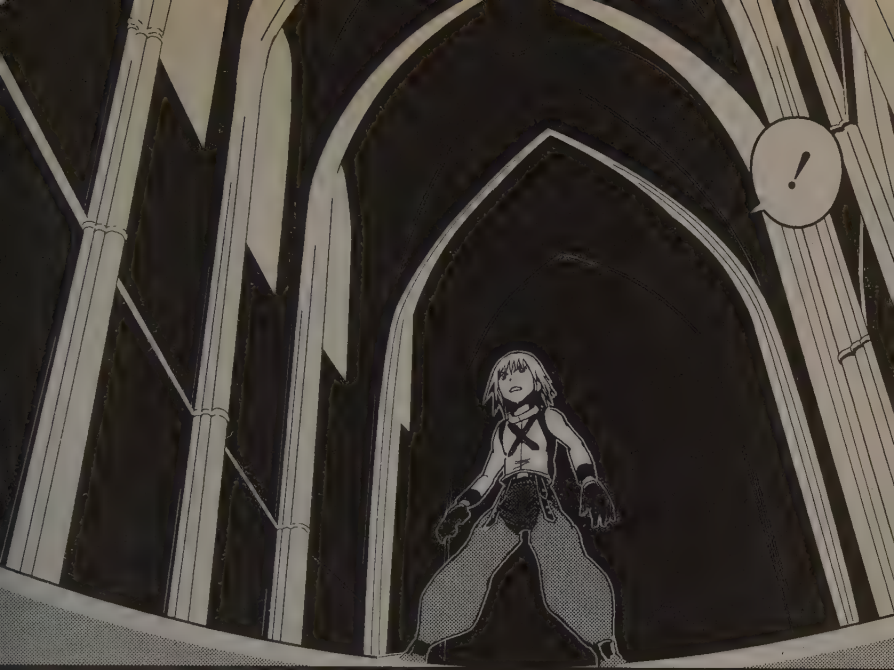
BUT I  
CAST THAT  
ASIDE,  
TOO!

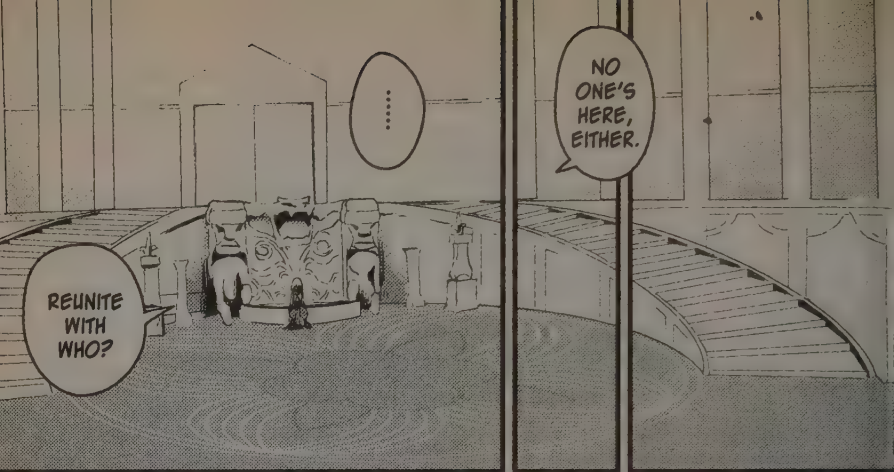


BEHIND YOU,  
YOU LEFT FAMILY,  
FRIENDS, HOME--  
EVERYTHING--

--ALL IN  
PURSUIT OF  
DARKNESS.

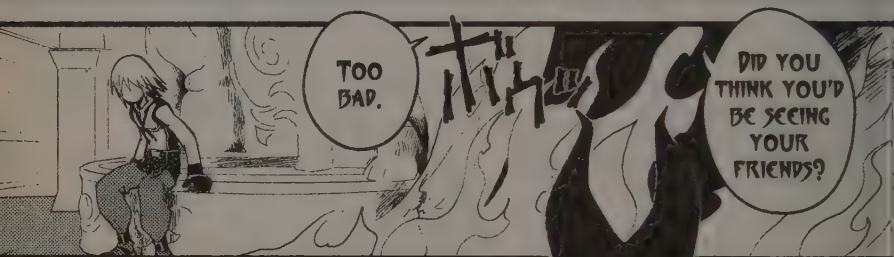






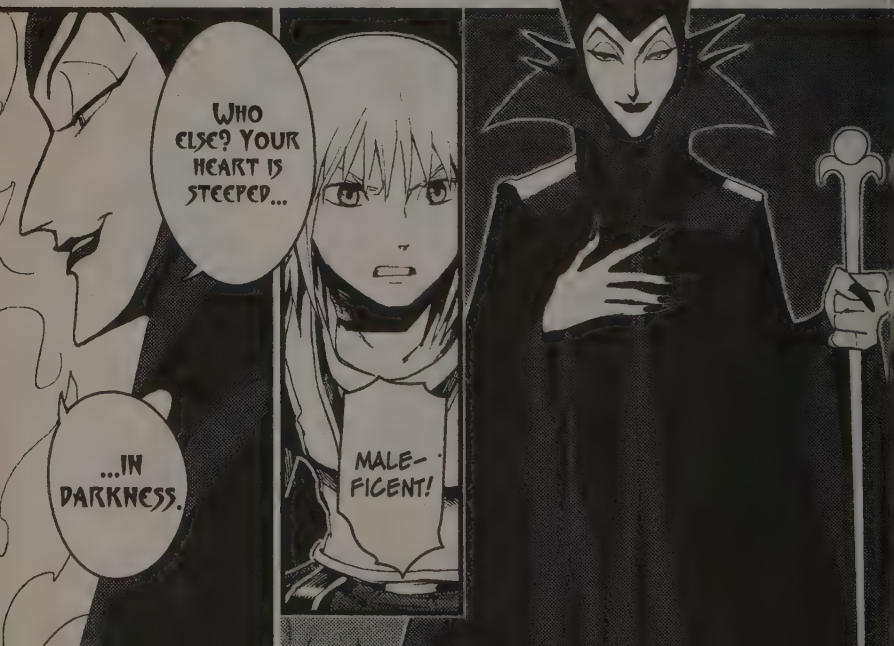
REUNITE  
WITH  
WHO?

NO  
ONE'S  
HERE,  
EITHER.



TOO  
BAD.

DID YOU  
THINK YOU'D  
BE SEEING  
YOUR  
FRIENDS?



WHO  
ELSE? YOUR  
HEART IS  
STEEPED...

...IN  
DARKNESS.

MALE-  
FICENT!

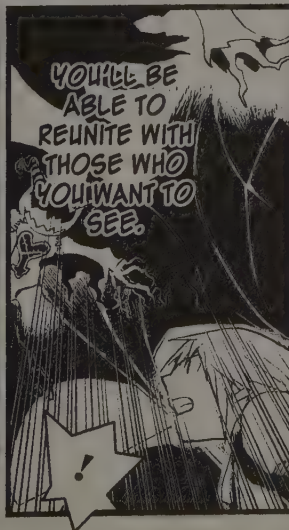
THIS WORLD WAS  
CREATED FROM  
YOUR MEMORY.

WHAT?

WHAT  
ARE YOU  
TRYING TO  
DO...

...BRINGING  
ME BACK TO  
THIS PLACE?

I'M NOT  
WHO I  
WAS BACK  
THEN.








NOTH-  
ING...

THERE'S  
...?!

GREAT-  
ER...

...HAVE  
NOTHING TO  
OFFER.

NEVER  
AGAIN. YOU  
AND YOUR  
DARKNESS...



YOU,  
LIKE ME, ARE  
ONE OF THE  
DARK!

YOU  
WANT  
ME  
HERE.

WHO ELSE  
BUT I CAN  
GIVE YOU THE  
DARKNESS YOU  
LONG FOR?

BUT  
NOW...

THERE'S  
NOTHING  
GREATER  
THAN THE  
POWER OF  
DARKNESS!

I  
WANTED  
POWER.


I  
TURNED TO  
DARKNESS  
BECAUSE MY  
HEART WAS  
WEAK.

NOT A  
CHANCE.  
MY HEART'S  
TOO  
STRONG.

SOONER  
OR LATER,  
THEY'LL  
SWALLOW  
YOUR  
HEART!

WHY  
ARE YOU  
SIDING  
WITH THE  
HEART-  
LESS?





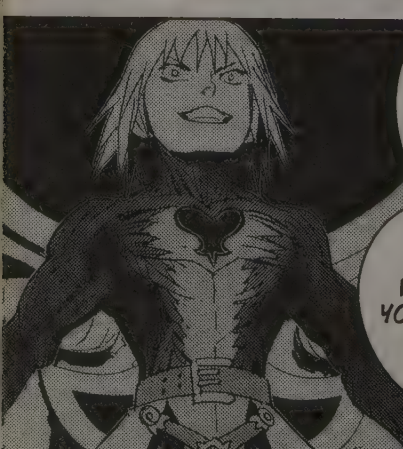
SO  
LET ME  
GUESS...  
YOU WANT  
TO PULL ME  
BACK INTO  
THE DARK-  
NESS...

...AND  
PLAY  
PUPPET  
MASTER  
AGAIN...  
RIGHT?



CLEVER  
BOY.

YOU'LL  
MAKE  
A FINE  
HOST.



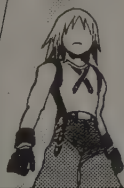
DON'T  
YOU WANT  
THE POWER  
AGAIN...

THE  
POWER  
YOU ONCE  
HAD?



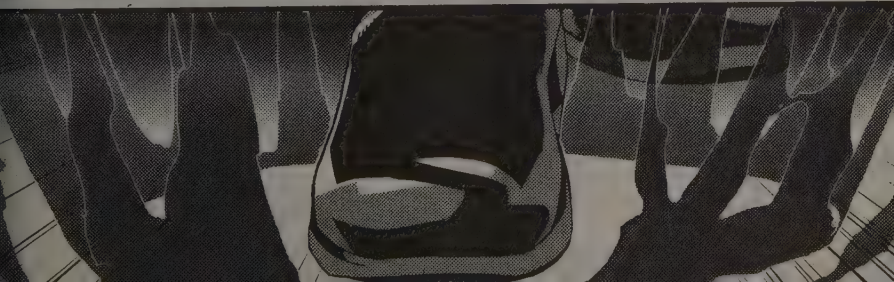
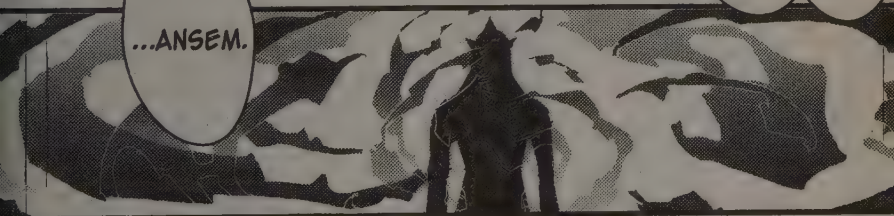
STOP RESISTING  
AND ACCEPT THE  
DARKNESS. YOU  
MUST...IF YOU  
ARE TO SERVE  
ME AGAIN!

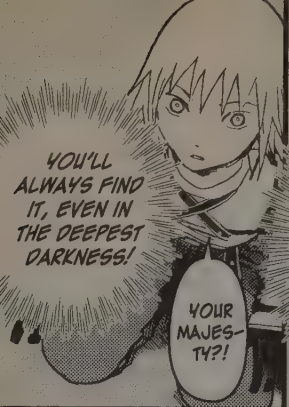
WHY DO  
YOU SHIN  
THE DARK?  
DARKNESS  
IS YOUR  
WEAPON.



JUST  
AS I  
THOUGHT.  
IT'S  
YOU...

...ANSEM.



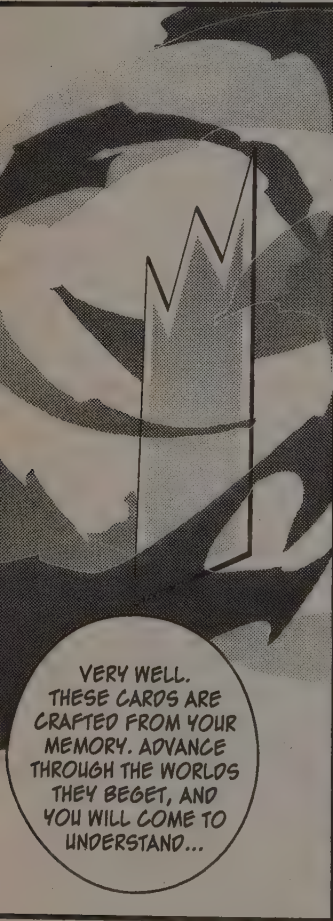


YOU'LL  
ALWAYS FIND  
IT, EVEN IN  
THE DEEPEST  
DARKNESS!

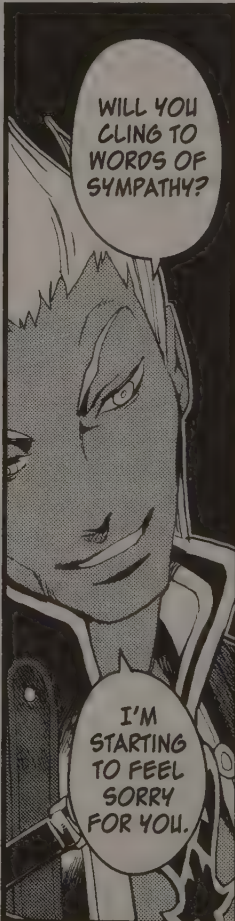
YOUR  
MAJES-  
TY?!

THE  
LIGHT'LL  
NEVER GIVE  
UP ON  
YOU.

LISTEN  
CAREFULLY  
NOW,  
RIKU.

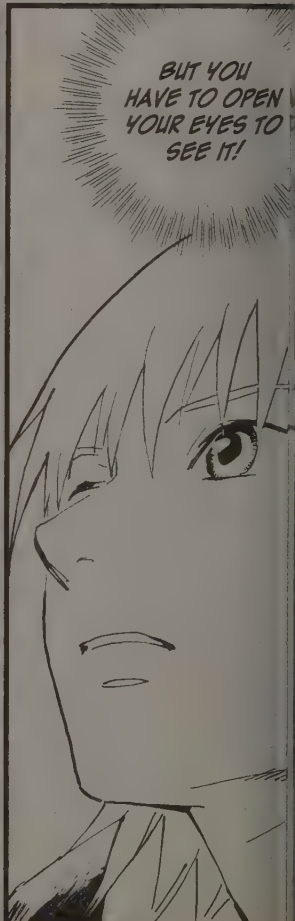


VERY WELL.  
THESE CARDS ARE  
CRAFTED FROM YOUR  
MEMORY. ADVANCE  
THROUGH THE WORLDS  
THEY BEGET, AND  
YOU WILL COME TO  
UNDERSTAND...



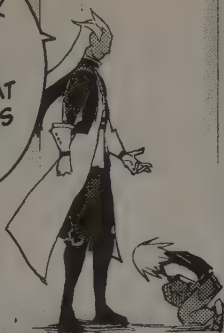
WILL YOU  
CLING TO  
WORDS OF  
SYMPATHY?

I'M  
STARTING  
TO FEEL  
SORRY  
FOR YOU.



BUT YOU  
HAVE TO OPEN  
YOUR EYES TO  
SEE IT!

DID YOU  
REALLY THINK  
YOU COULD  
HARM ME? A  
WEAKLING THAT  
STILL REJECTS  
DARKNESS?



NEVER  
--

!!

NO LIGHT  
CAN REACH  
YOUR  
DARKNESS.

YOU CAN  
TURN AWAY, BUT  
DARKNESS WILL  
ENGULF YOU,  
SOONER OR  
LATER.

YOU'RE  
WRONG!

SUBMIT!  
BOW TO  
DARKNESS,  
AND BOW  
TO ME.

ONLY  
DARKNESS  
CAN HELP  
YOU NOW.

!



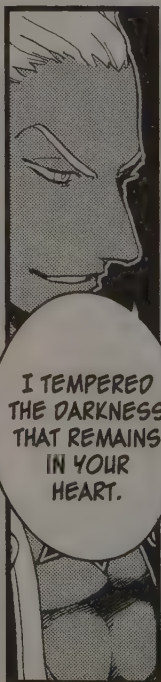


...THIS  
POWER  
RISING  
WITHIN  
ME?

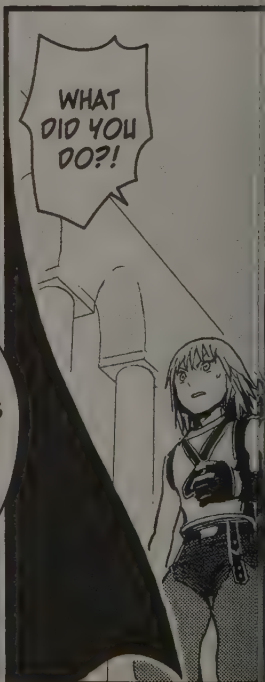
WHAT'S  
THIS...



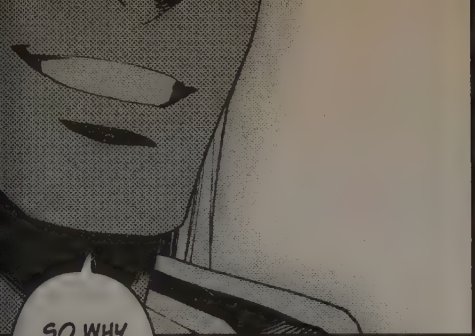
I'M  
SURE IT  
WILL HELP  
YOU.



I TEMPERED  
THE DARKNESS  
THAT REMAINS  
IN YOUR  
HEART.

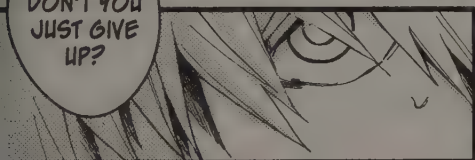


WHAT  
DID YOU  
DO?!

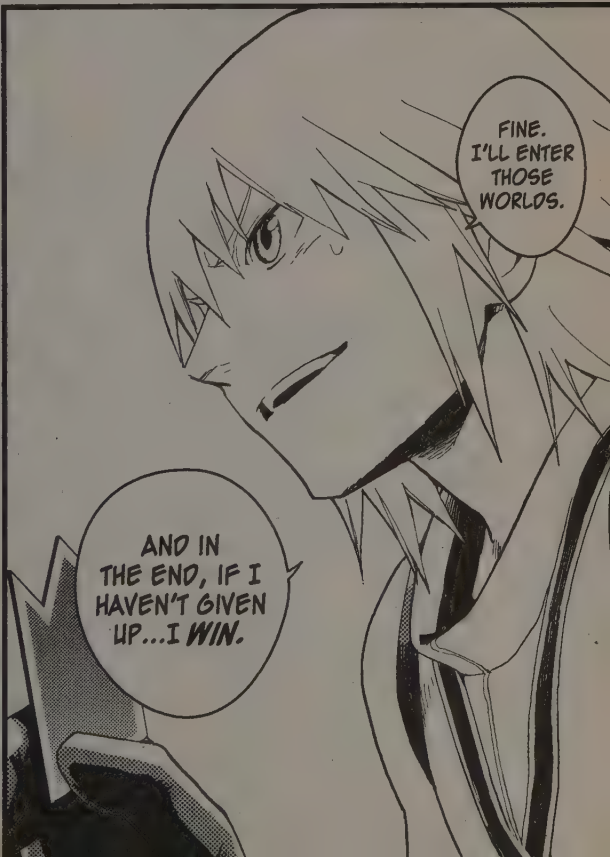


SO WHY  
DON'T YOU  
JUST GIVE  
UP?

...CHASING  
THE LIGHT WILL  
NOT DISTANCE  
YOU FROM THE  
DARK.

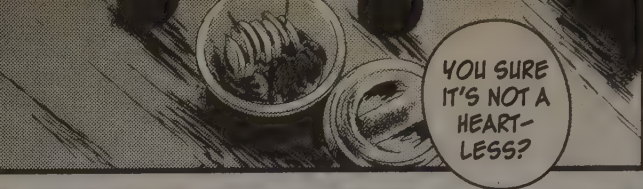


THEN  
I HAVE ONE  
MORE GIFT  
FOR YOU.

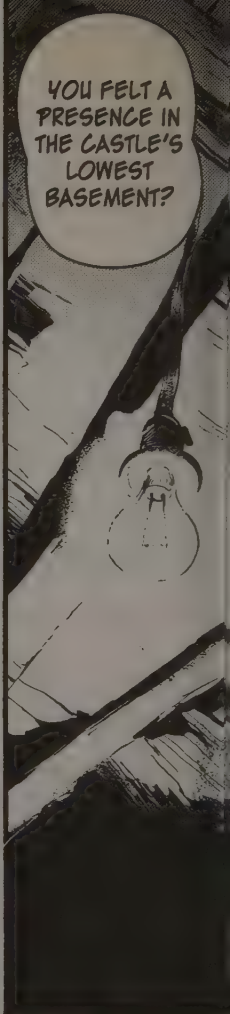


FINE.  
I'LL ENTER  
THOSE  
WORLDS.

AND IN  
THE END, IF I  
HAVEN'T GIVEN  
UP...I WIN.



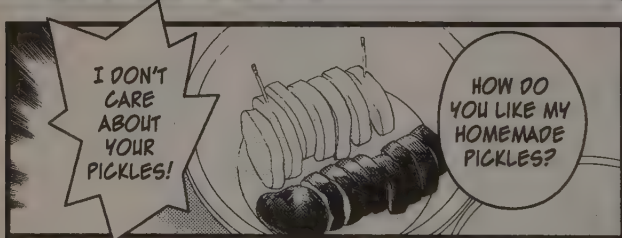
YOU SURE  
IT'S NOT A  
HEART-  
LESS?



YOU FELT A  
PRESENCE IN  
THE CASTLE'S  
LOWEST  
BASEMENT?

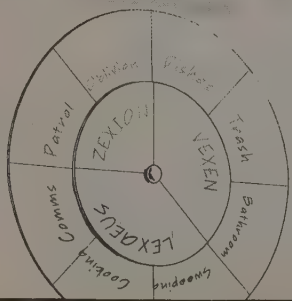


TELL US,  
ZEXION.



I DON'T  
CARE  
ABOUT  
YOUR  
PICKLES!

HOW DO  
YOU LIKE MY  
HOMEMADE  
PICKLES?

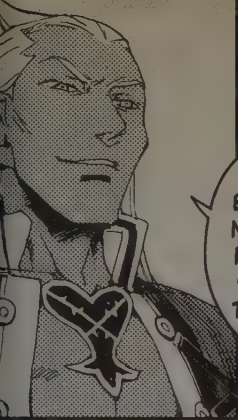


Give  
Proper  
Greetings

Month's Objecti







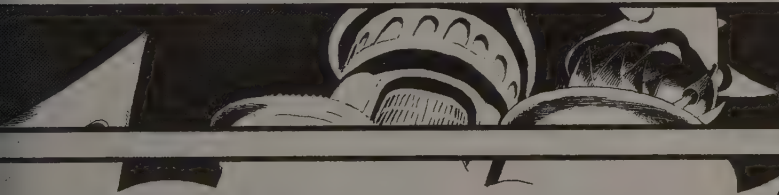
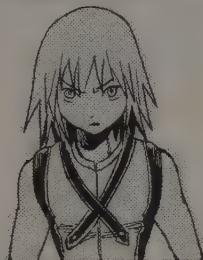
BUT YOU  
NEED TO  
REALIZE  
SOME-  
THING--

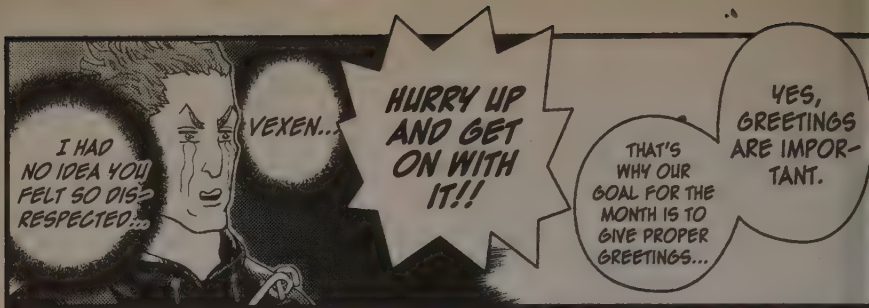


I DON'T  
WANT  
IT!

WHETHER  
OR NOT  
YOU USE  
IT IS YOUR  
CHOICE.

THE  
SCENT OF  
DARKNESS IS  
BRED IN YOUR  
BONES.





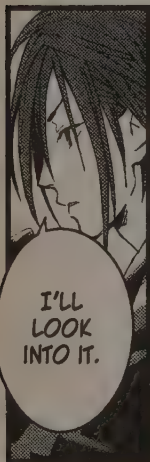
I HAD  
NO IDEA YOU  
FELT SO DIS-  
RESPECTED...

VEXEN...

**HURRY UP  
AND GET  
ON WITH  
IT!!**

THAT'S  
WHY OUR  
GOAL FOR THE  
MONTH IS TO  
GIVE PROPER  
GREETINGS...

YES,  
GREETINGS  
ARE IMPOR-  
TANT.



I'LL  
LOOK  
INTO IT.



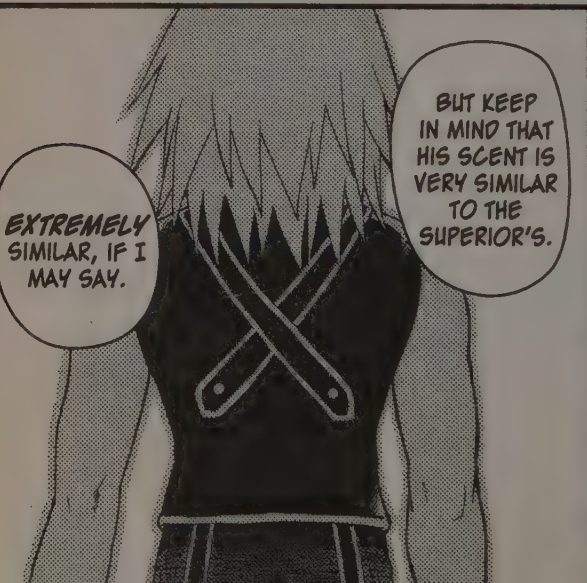
BUT RIKU  
IS GONE! HE AND  
THAT KING WERE  
LOST WHEN THEY  
VENTURED BEYOND  
THE DOOR TO  
DARKNESS.

**RIKU?!**



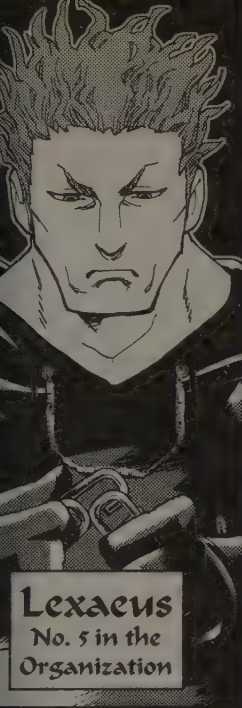
THE  
OTHER  
SCENT BE-  
LONGED...

...TO  
RIKU.

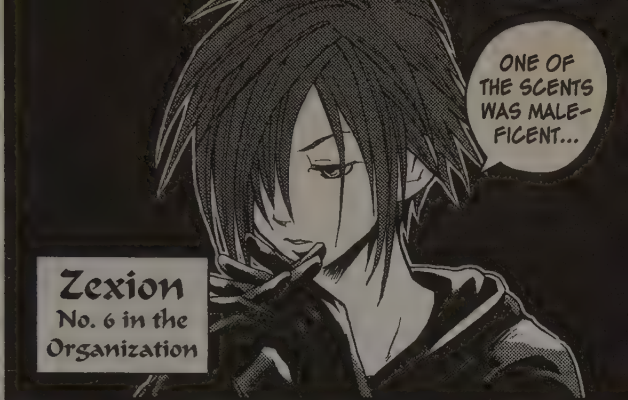


**EXTREMELY  
SIMILAR, IF I  
MAY SAY.**

BUT KEEP  
IN MIND THAT  
HIS SCENT IS  
VERY SIMILAR  
TO THE  
SUPERIOR'S.

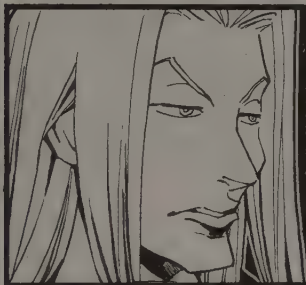


**Lexaeus**  
No. 5 in the  
Organization



**Zexion**  
No. 6 in the  
Organization

ONE OF  
THE SCENTS  
WAS MALE-  
FICIENT...



**Vexen**  
No. 4 in the  
Organization

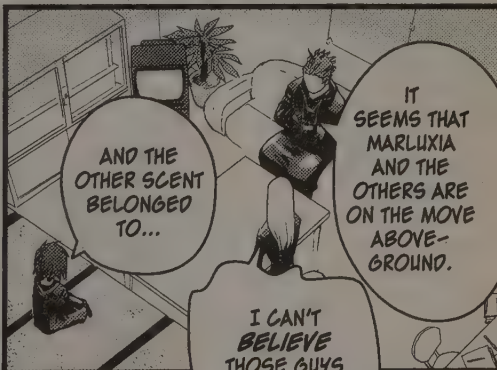
A DOUBLE  
CREATED  
FROM A  
CARD.



AND TALK  
ABOUT NO  
RESPECT!

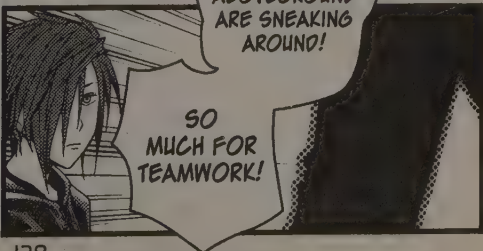
UM...  
MAY I  
CONTINUE  
?

NOT  
A SINGLE  
"HOW-DO-  
YOU-DO?"  
FROM THOSE  
BUMS!



AND THE  
OTHER SCENT  
BELONGED  
TO...

IT  
SEEMS THAT  
MARLUXIA  
AND THE  
OTHERS ARE  
ON THE MOVE  
ABOVE-  
GROUND.



I CAN'T  
BELIEVE  
THOSE GUYS  
ABOVEGROUND  
ARE SNEAKING  
AROUND!

SO  
MUCH FOR  
TEAMWORK!



RIKU.



PERHAPS  
THERE *IS*  
NO TURNING  
BACK...

BRED  
IN MY  
BONES,  
HUH?

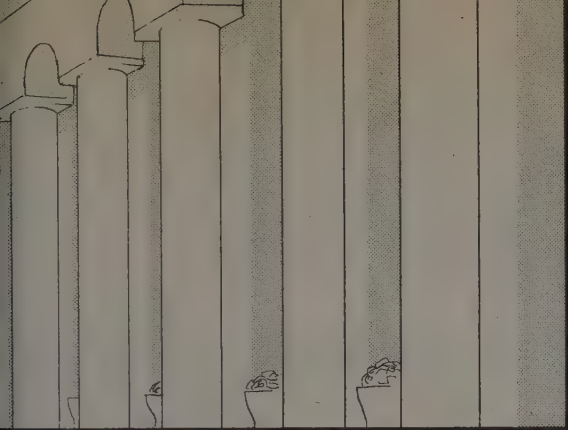
WHAT IF  
I OPEN MY  
EYES, BUT  
STILL ONLY  
SEE DARK-  
NESS?

DON'T YOU  
WORRY,  
RIKU.

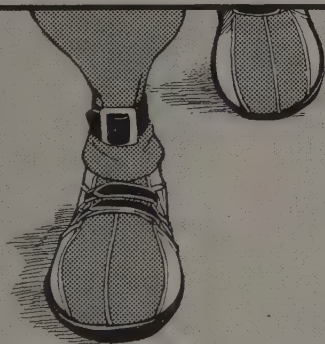
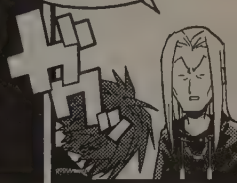
DO YOU  
REALLY THINK  
I CAN REACH  
THE LIGHT?

YOU  
MAJ...  
TH...

DON'T  
LET GO OF  
YOURSELF!



MAYBE  
THEY'RE USING  
THE SAME  
COLOGNE?



BUT YOU NEED  
TO REALIZE  
SOMETHING--

THE  
SCENT OF  
DARKNESS  
IS BRED IN  
YOUR BONES.

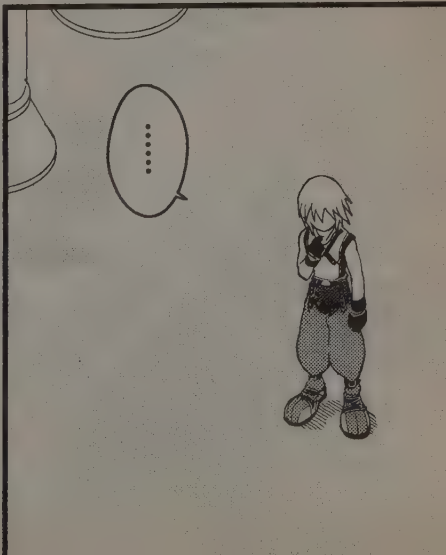


HEH.

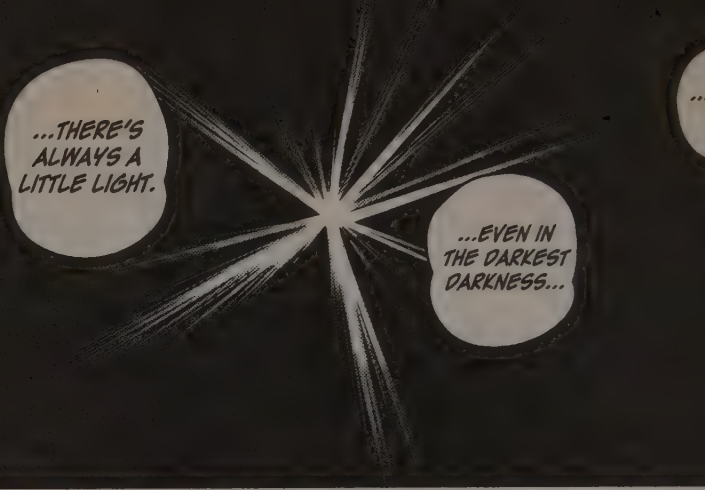
HA  
HA...



sniff



...

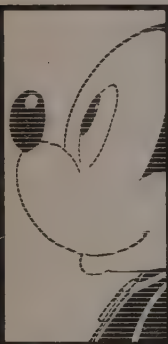


...THERE'S  
ALWAYS A  
LITTLE LIGHT.

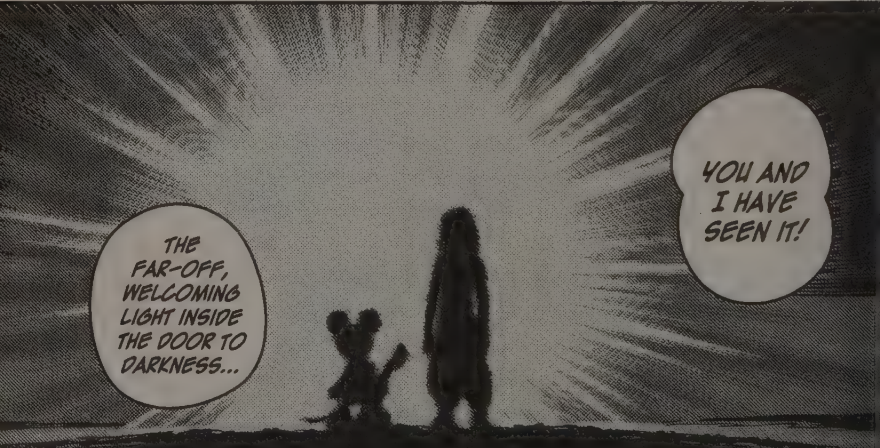
...BUT

...

...EVEN IN  
THE DARKEST  
DARKNESS...



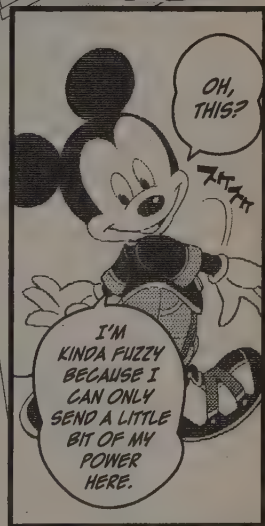
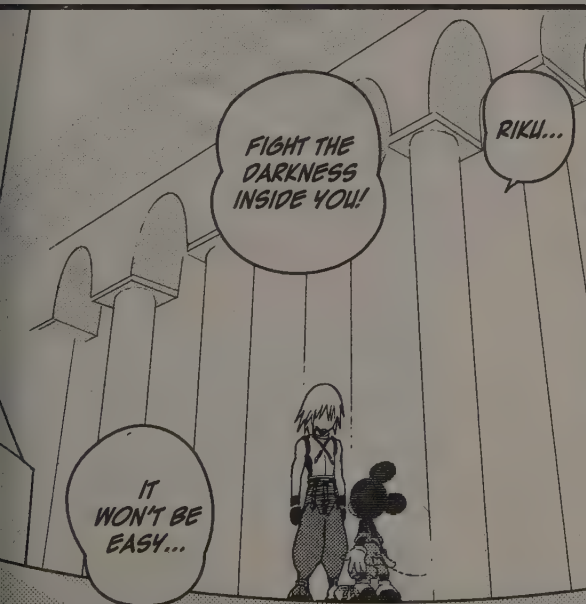
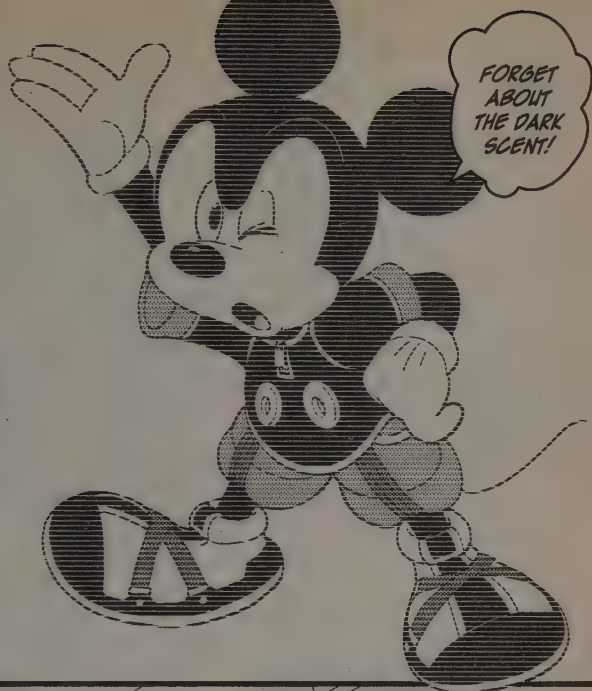
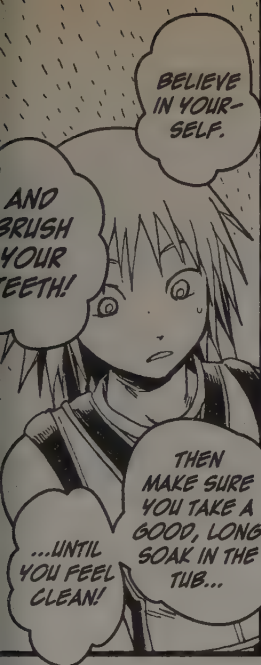
PLEASE  
DON'T  
FORGET  
THAT.

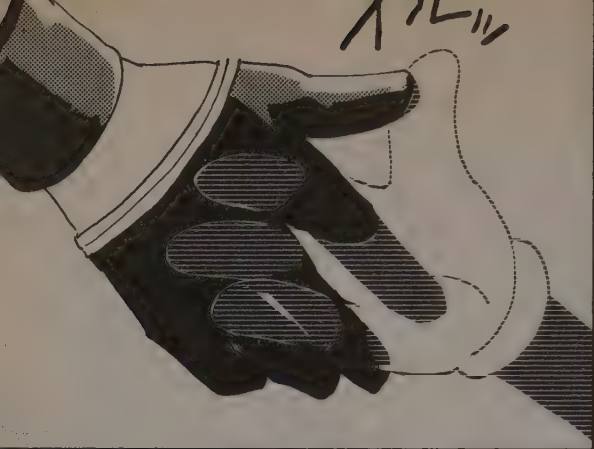


THE  
FAR-OFF,  
WELCOMING  
LIGHT INSIDE  
THE DOOR TO  
DARKNESS...

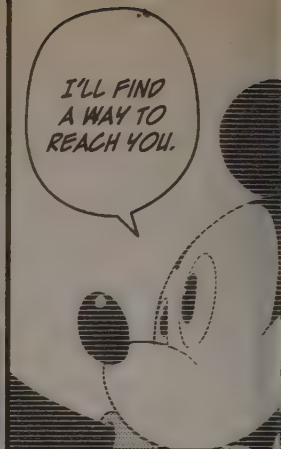
YOU AND  
I HAVE  
SEEN IT!







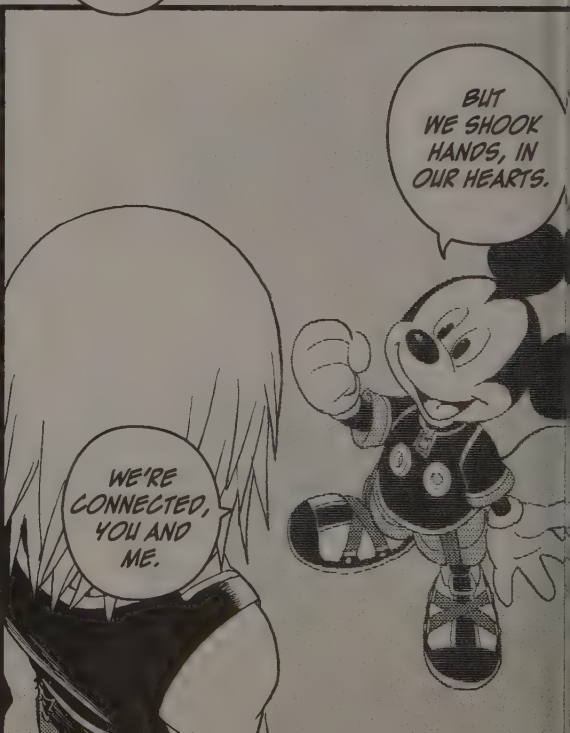
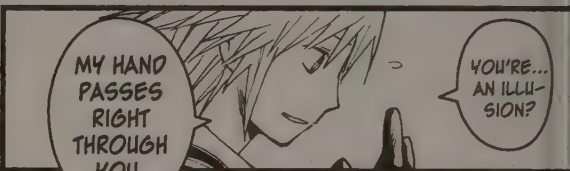
I'LL FIND  
A WAY TO  
REACH YOU.



I'LL  
ALWAYS BE  
BY YOUR  
SIDE.

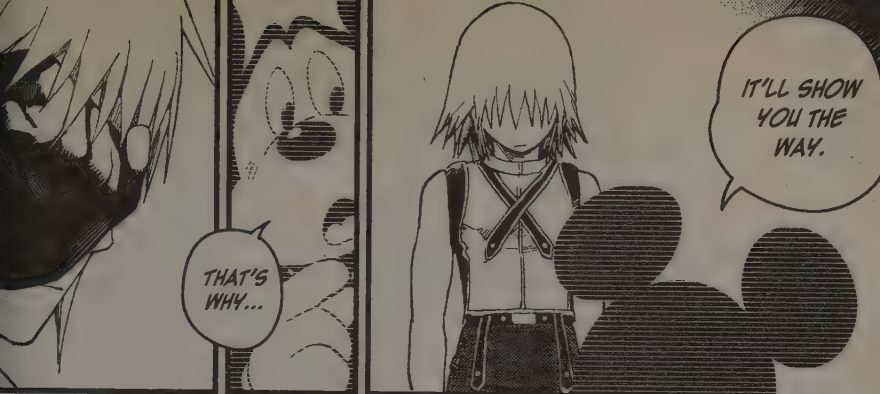
MY HAND  
PASSES  
RIGHT  
THROUGH  
YOU.

YOU'RE...  
AN ILLU-  
SION?



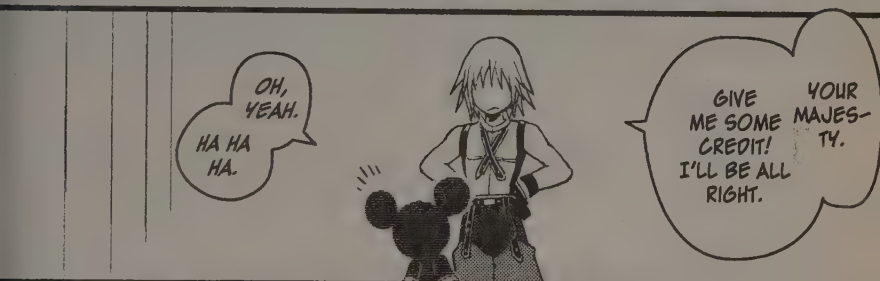
BUT  
WE SHOOK  
HANDS, IN  
OUR HEARTS.

WE'RE  
CONNECTED,  
YOU AND  
ME.



THAT'S  
WHY...

IT'LL SHOW  
YOU THE  
WAY.



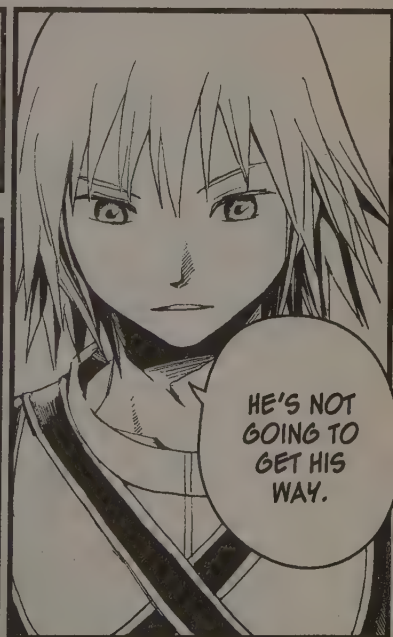
OH,  
YEAH.  
HA HA  
HA.

GIVE  
ME SOME  
CREDIT!  
I'LL BE ALL  
RIGHT.

YOUR  
MAJES-  
TY.

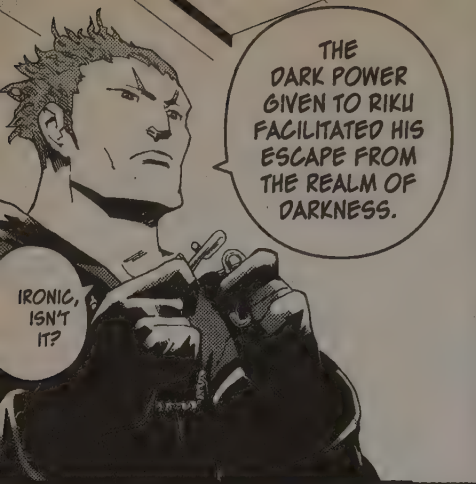


LET'S  
MAKE A  
PROMISE  
...



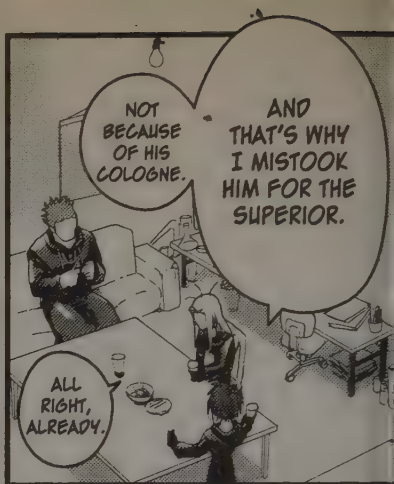
HE'S NOT  
GOING TO  
GET HIS  
WAY.





THE  
DARK POWER  
GIVEN TO RIKU  
FACILITATED HIS  
ESCAPE FROM  
THE REALM OF  
DARKNESS.

IRONIC,  
ISN'T  
IT?



NOT  
BECAUSE  
OF HIS  
COLOGNE.

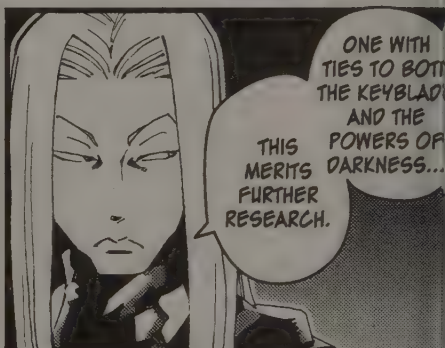
AND  
THAT'S WHY  
I MISTOOK  
HIM FOR THE  
SUPERIOR.

ALL  
RIGHT,  
ALREADY.

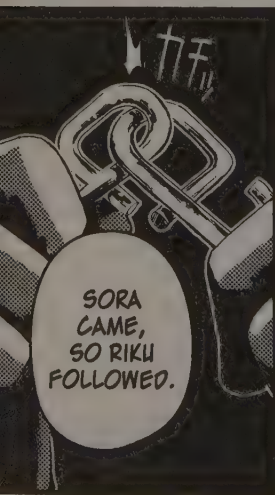


LOOKS  
LIKE VEXEN'S  
GETTING  
FIRED UP.

YEAH, ONCE  
HE'S ON SOME-  
THING'S TRAIL,  
NOTHING WILL  
STOP HIM.



ONE WITH  
TIES TO BOTH  
THE KEYBLADE  
AND THE  
POWERS OF  
DARKNESS...  
THIS  
MERITS  
FURTHER  
RESEARCH.

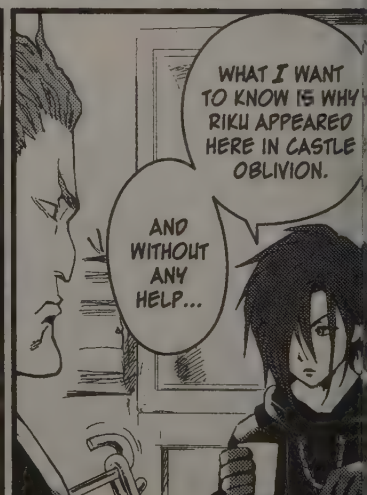


SORA  
CAME,  
SO RIKU  
FOLLOWED.



HA!  
THAT'S  
SIMPLE.

HIS  
EXISTENCE  
RESONATES  
WITH THAT  
OF ANOTHER  
HERO.

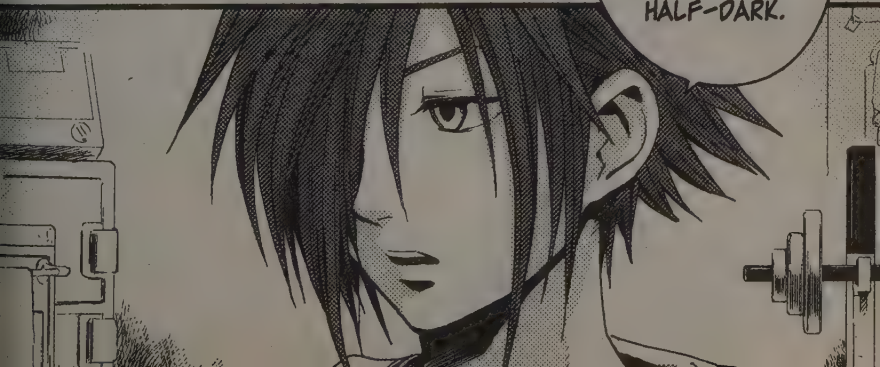


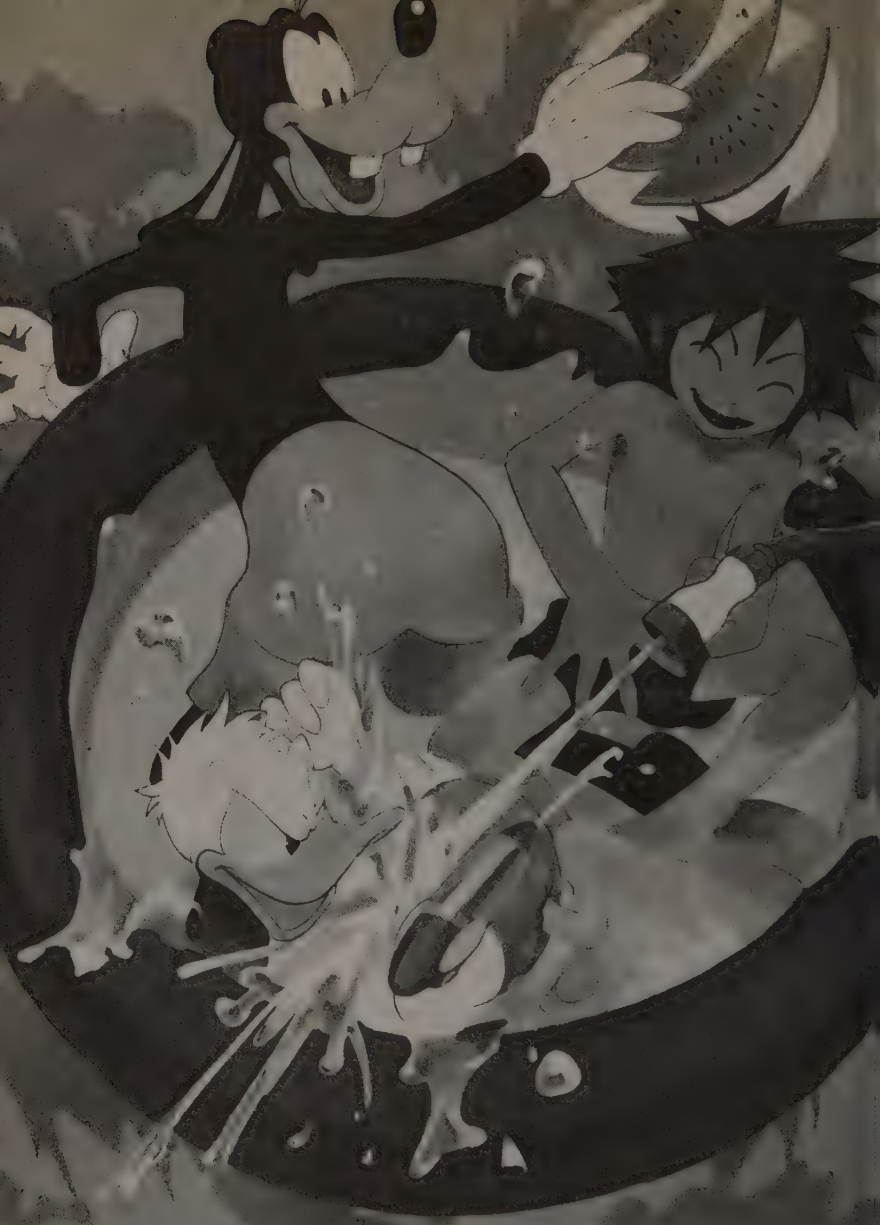
WHAT I WANT  
TO KNOW IS WHY  
RIKU APPEARED  
HERE IN CASTLE  
OBLIVION.

AND  
WITHOUT  
ANY  
HELP...

THANK  
YOU, KING  
MICKEY.


RIKU ONCE  
SHOULDERED  
THE DARKNESS.  
PERHAPS THAT  
MADE HIM  
HALF-DARK.



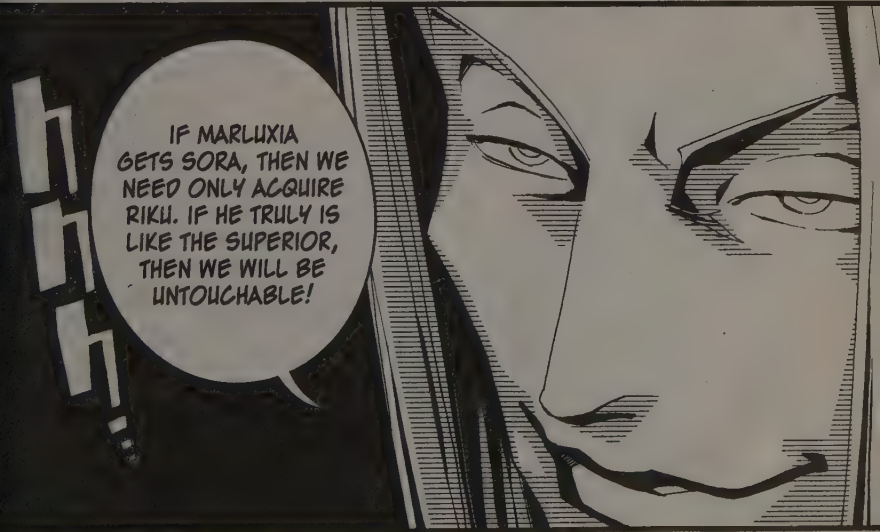


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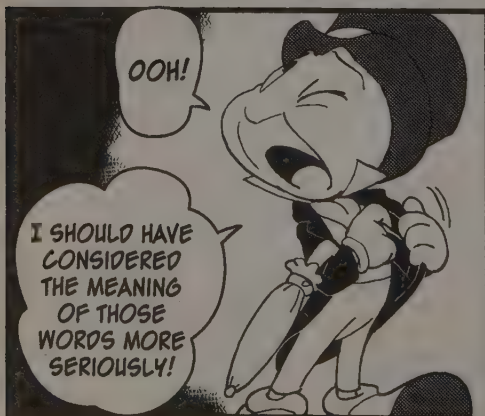
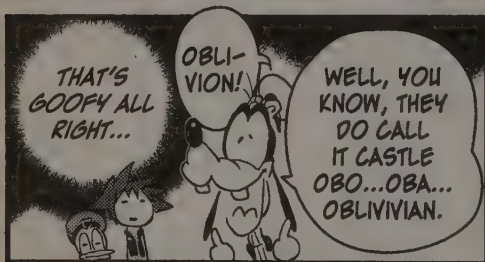
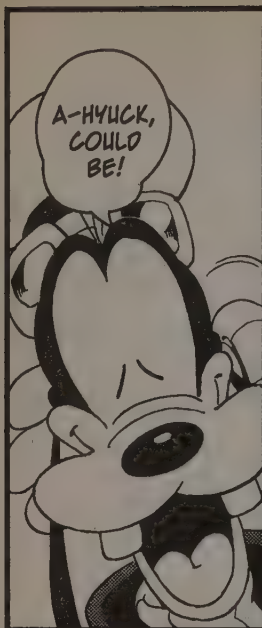


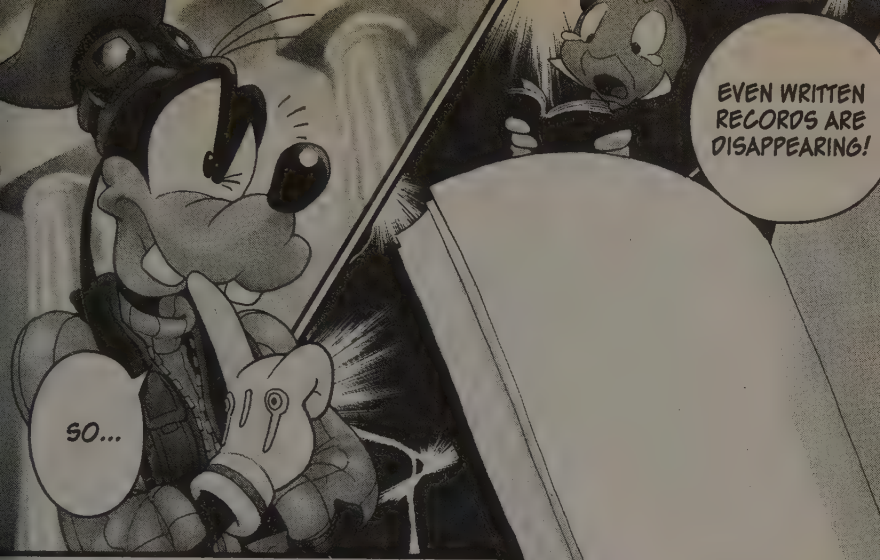


JUST LIKE  
LIGHT AND  
SHADOW.



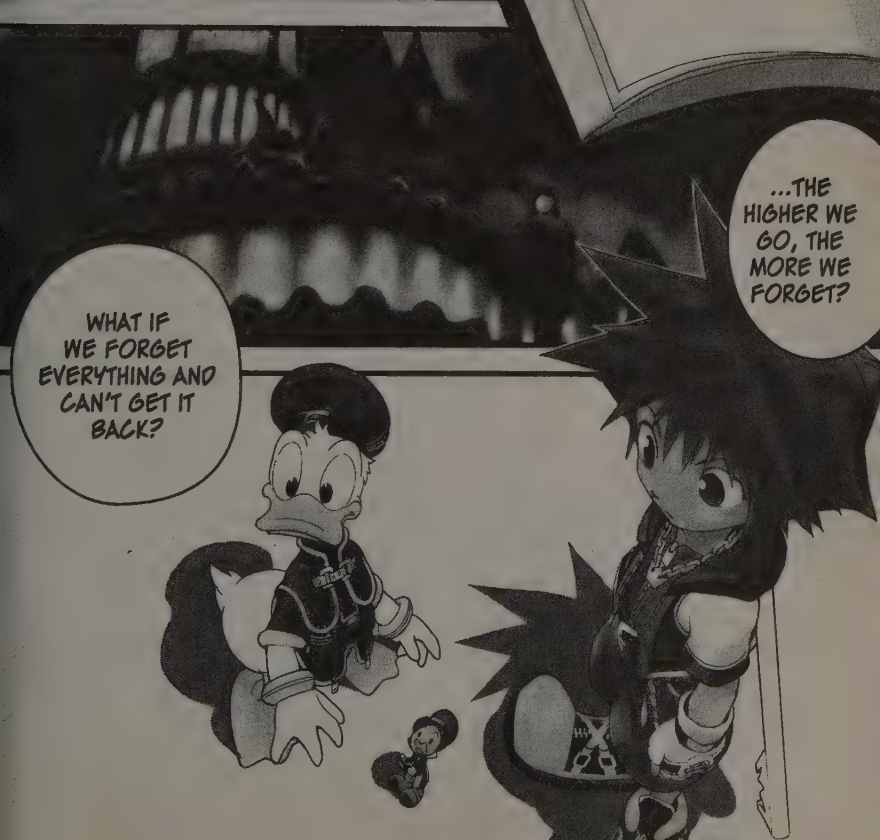
IF MARLUXIA  
GETS SORA, THEN WE  
NEED ONLY ACQUIRE  
RIKU. IF HE TRULY IS  
LIKE THE SUPERIOR,  
THEN WE WILL BE  
UNTOUCHABLE!





EVEN WRITTEN  
RECORDS ARE  
DISAPPEARING!

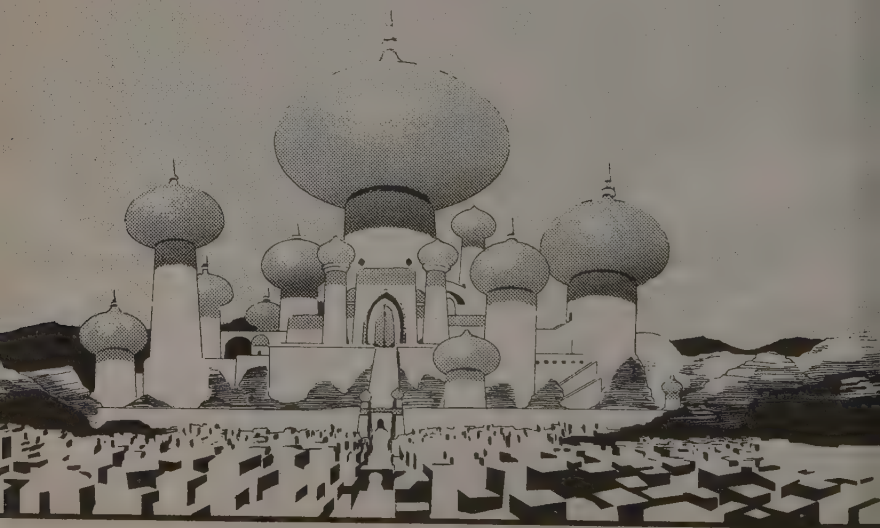
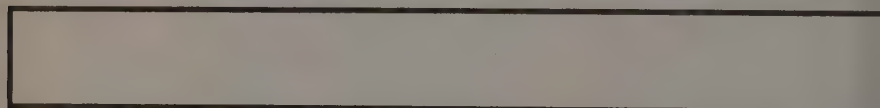
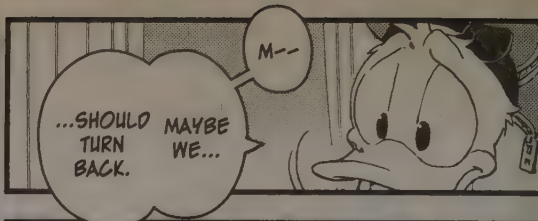
SO...



WHAT IF  
WE FORGET  
EVERYTHING AND  
CAN'T GET IT  
BACK?

...THE  
HIGHER WE  
GO, THE  
MORE WE  
FORGET?






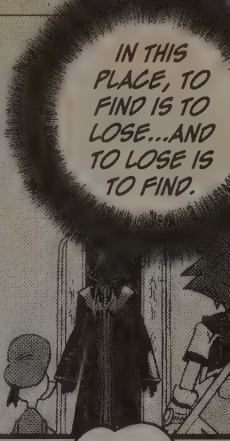


WE COULD  
FORGET  
ABOUT THE  
KING...

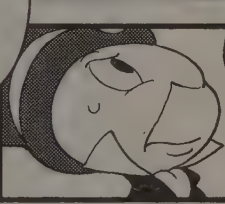
JIMINY,  
WHAT ARE  
YOU SAYING!




BUT WE  
MAY YET LOSE  
SOMETHING  
MORE  
IMPORTANT.



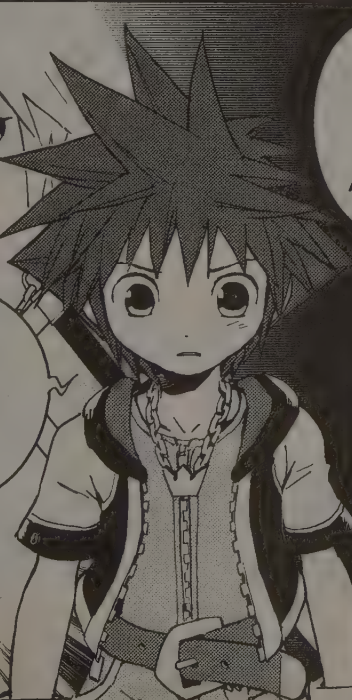
IN THIS  
PLACE, TO  
FIND IS TO  
LOSE...AND  
TO LOSE IS  
TO FIND.




WE'RE  
STILL  
OKAY, SO  
FAR.




...I COULD  
FORGET  
ABOUT RIKU  
AND KAIRI...



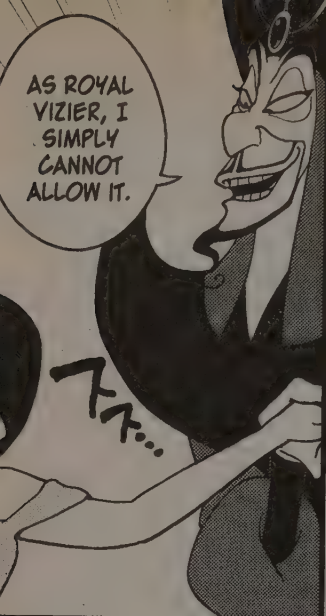
JUST LIKE  
LEON AND  
YUFFIE  
FORGOT  
ABOUT US...




I'VE NEVER  
SEEN ANY OF  
YOU BEFORE  
IN MY LIFE.



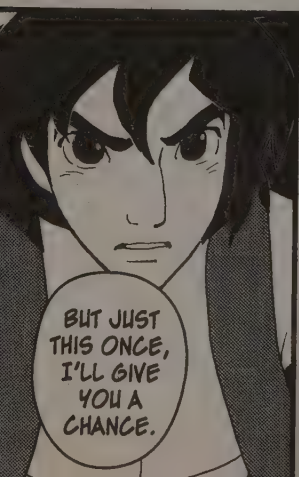
WHY SHOULD  
I? THIS IS THE  
FIRST TIME  
WE'VE MET!



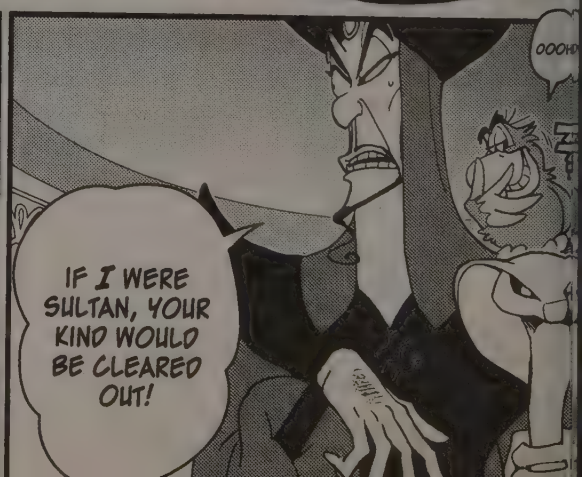
AS ROYAL  
VIZIER, I  
SIMPLY  
CANNOT  
ALLOW IT.



ASSOCIAT-  
ING WITH A  
STREET RAT  
LIKE HIM IS  
A DEFINITE  
NO-NO.



BUT JUST  
THIS ONCE,  
I'LL GIVE  
YOU A  
CHANCE.

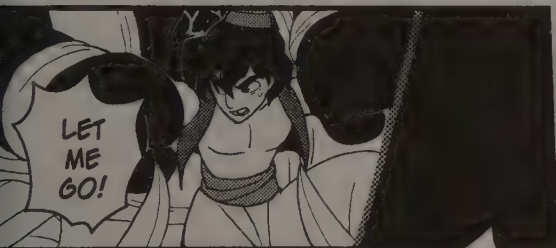


IF I WERE  
SULTAN, YOUR  
KIND WOULD  
BE CLEARED  
OUT!

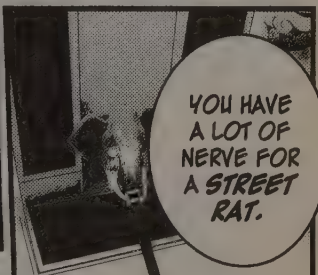




AH!



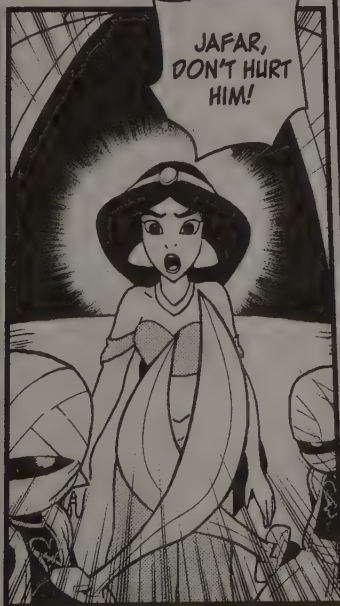
LET  
ME  
GO!



YOU HAVE  
A LOT OF  
NERVE FOR  
A *STREET*  
RAT.



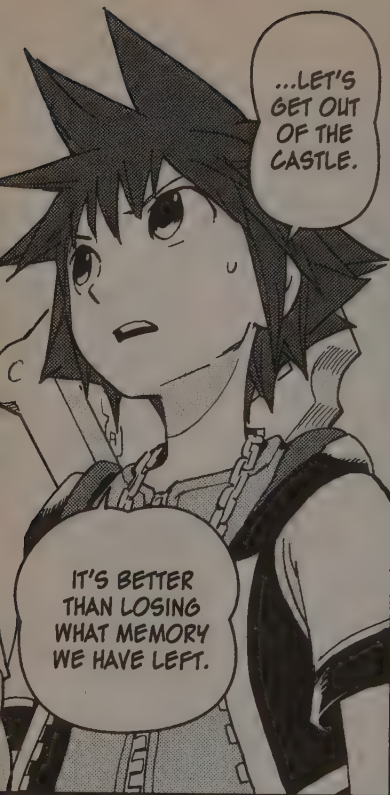
PRINCESS  
JASMINE...



JAFAR,  
DON'T HURT  
HIM!



ALAD-  
DIN!

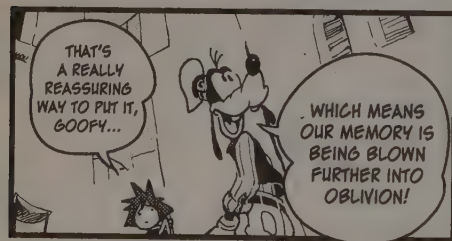


...LET'S  
GET OUT OF  
THE  
CASTLE.

IT'S BETTER  
THAN LOSING  
WHAT MEMORY  
WE HAVE LEFT.

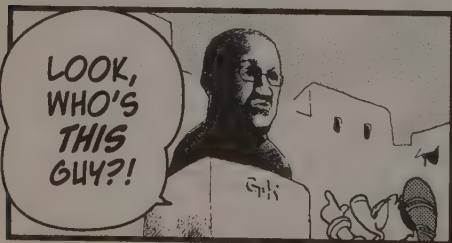


IF WE  
DON'T FIND  
ANY CLUES  
IN THIS  
WORLD...

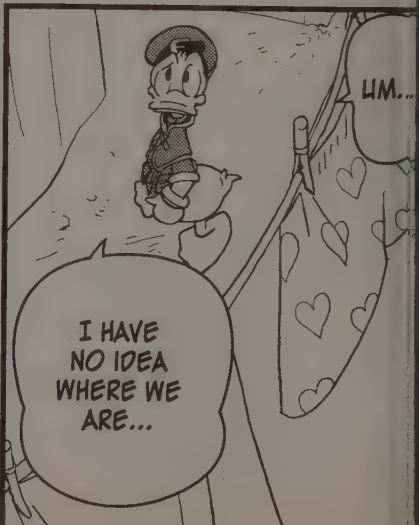


THAT'S  
A REALLY  
REASSURING  
WAY TO PUT IT,  
GOOPY...

WHICH MEANS  
OUR MEMORY IS  
BEING BLOWN  
FURTHER INTO  
OBLIVION!



LOOK,  
WHO'S  
**THIS**  
GUY?!



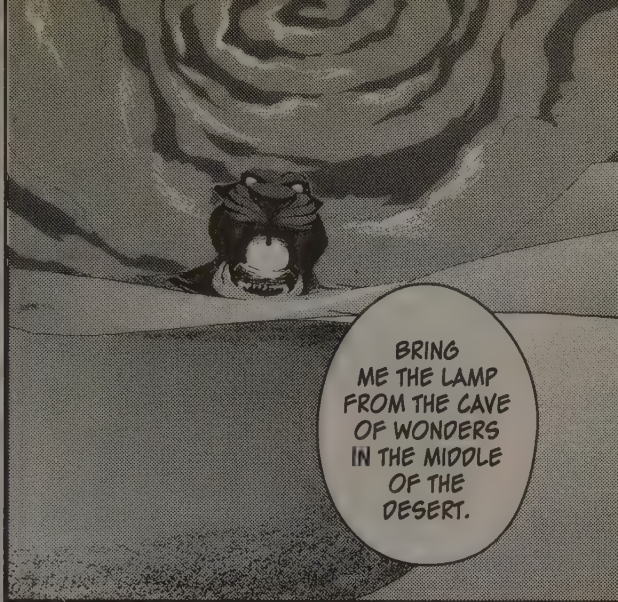
UM...

I HAVE  
NO IDEA  
WHERE WE  
ARE...

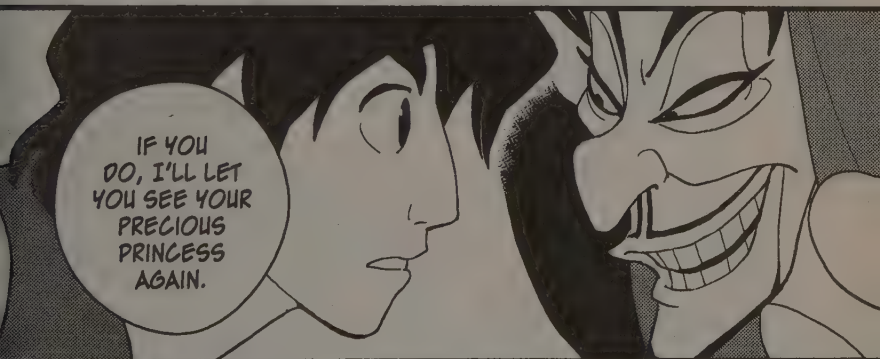


A  
LAMP?

YES.



BRING  
ME THE LAMP  
FROM THE CAVE  
OF WONDERS  
IN THE MIDDLE  
OF THE  
DESERT.



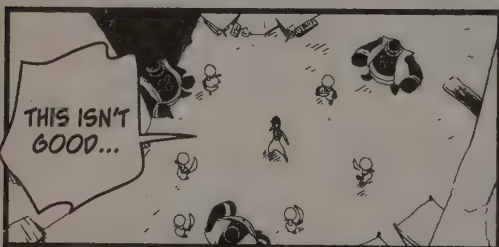
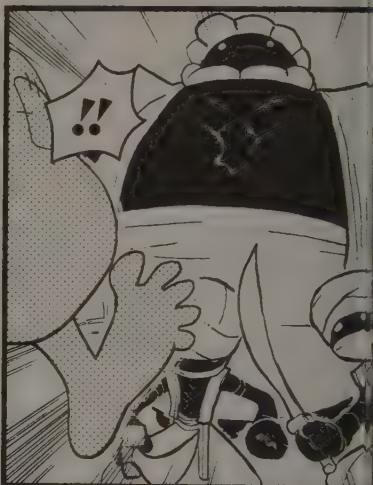
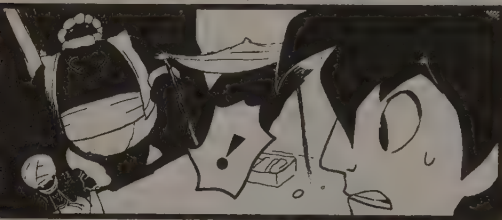
IF YOU  
DO, I'LL LET  
YOU SEE YOUR  
PRECIOUS  
PRINCESS  
AGAIN.

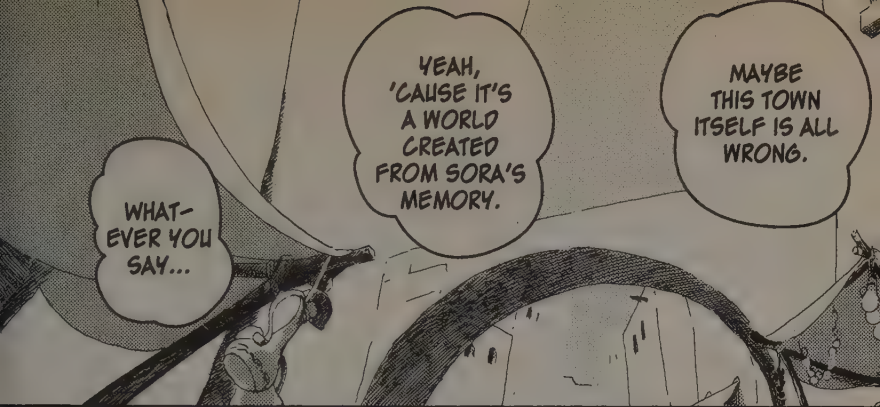




WE'D  
BETTER DO  
SOME-  
THING!

HE'S GOT  
HEARTLESS  
CHASING  
HIM!





WHAT-  
EVER YOU  
SAY...

YEAH,  
'CAUSE IT'S  
A WORLD  
CREATED  
FROM SORA'S  
MEMORY.

MAYBE  
THIS TOWN  
ITSELF IS ALL  
WRONG.



GET OUT  
OF MY  
WAY!

A-  
HYUCK!  
HELLO  
THERE!

SINCE NO  
ONE'S AROUND,  
WE NEED TO  
SEARCH EVERY  
INCH OF THIS  
PLACE.



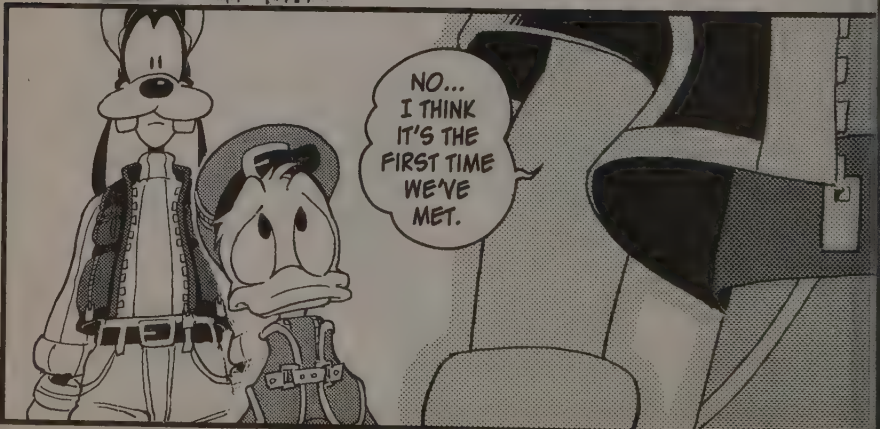
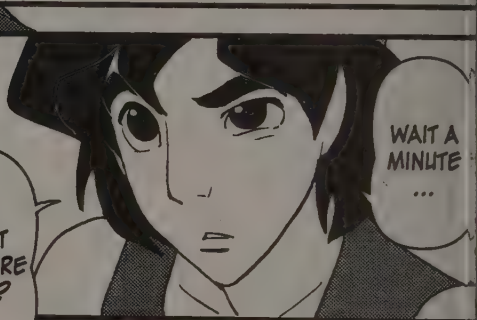
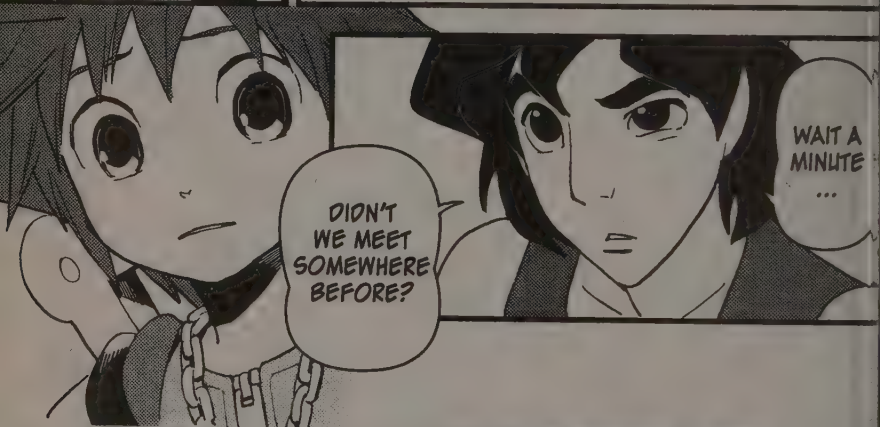
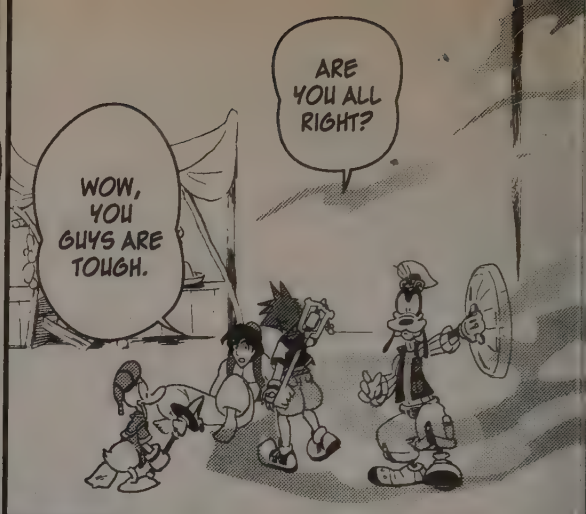
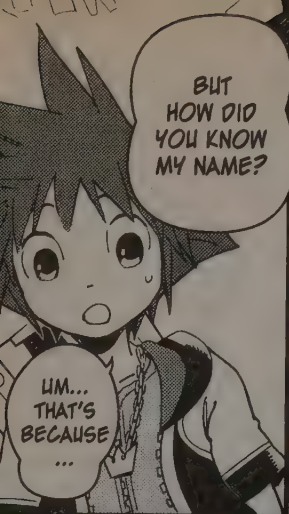
HEY,  
THAT'S  
--?!

WAAK  
!!!

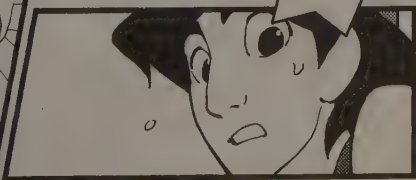
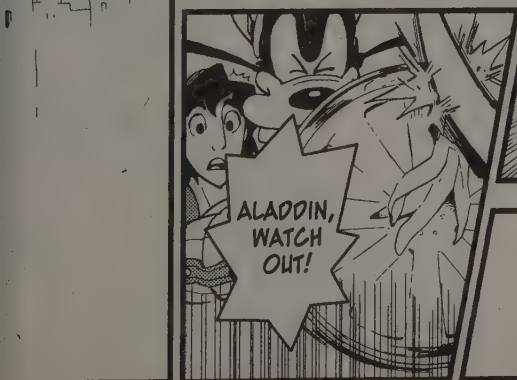
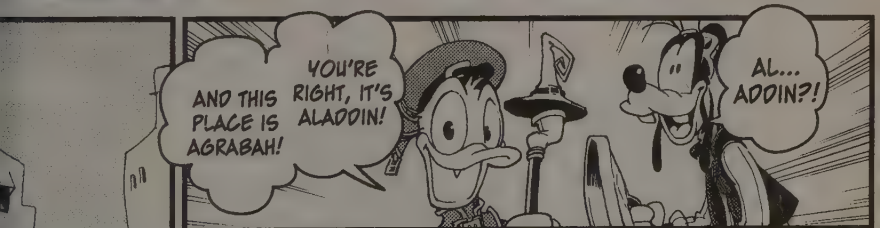
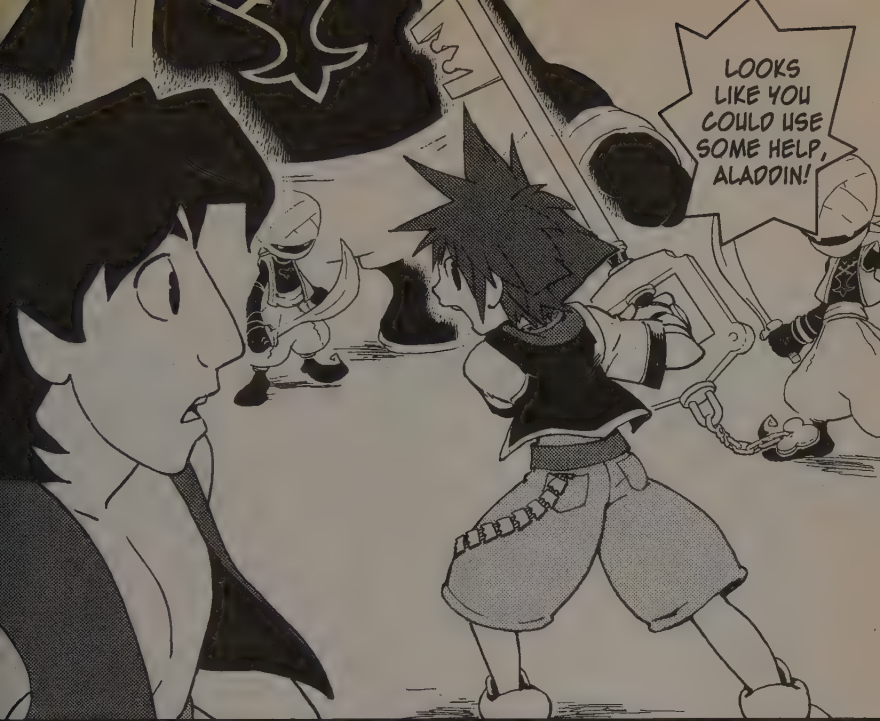


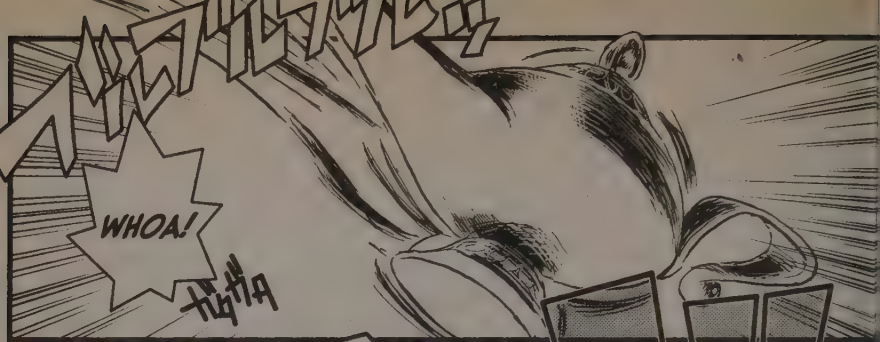
WHOA  
!

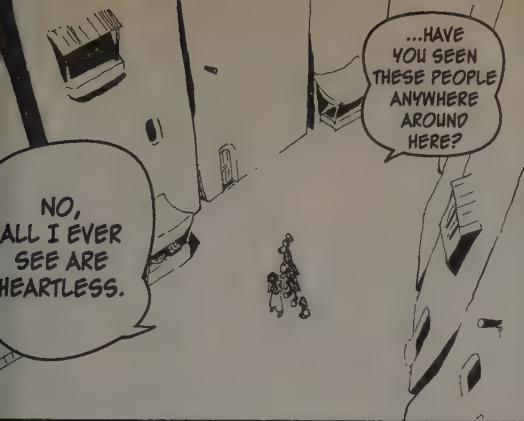
SORRY!





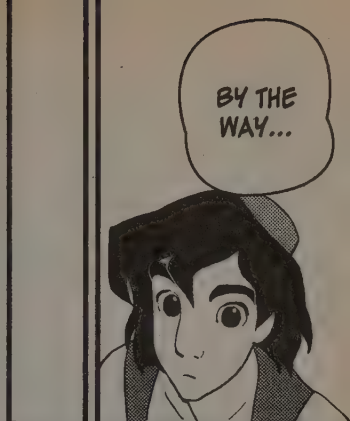






NO,  
ALL I EVER  
SEE ARE  
HEARTLESS.

...HAVE  
YOU SEEN  
THESE PEOPLE  
ANYWHERE  
AROUND  
HERE?



BY THE  
WAY...



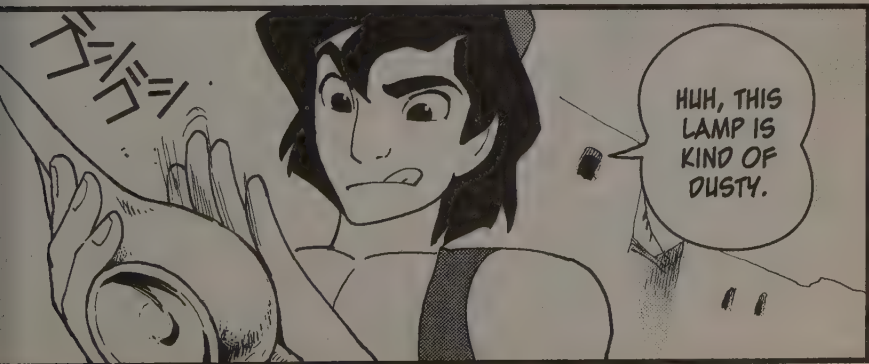
I HAVE TO  
TAKE THIS  
LAMP TO  
THE PALACE  
FIRST.

--OH,  
SORRY.

AFTER  
THAT, I'LL  
HELP YOU  
GUYS LOOK  
FOR THEM,  
OKAY?



ARE  
THEY YOUR  
FRIENDS?



HUH, THIS  
LAMP IS  
KIND OF  
DUSTY.



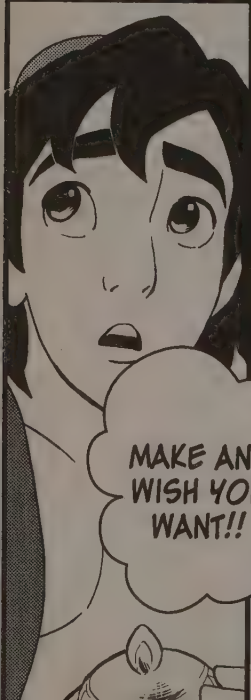
I'M  
HERE TO  
GRANT MY  
MASTER ANY  
THREE  
WISHES!

CLAP  
CLAP

RUB-A-DUB-  
DUB THE LAMP  
AND HAVE YOUR  
DEAREST WISHES  
GRANTED!



AND WHO'S  
THE LUCKY  
ONE THAT  
RUBBED THE  
LAMP?



MAKE ANY  
WISH YOU  
WANT!!

FLASH  
FLASH

HOPE YOU  
DON'T MIND  
ME CALLING  
YOU AL.

ALL  
RIGHT,  
AL!

ALADDIN

HEYA,  
HAND-  
SOME.

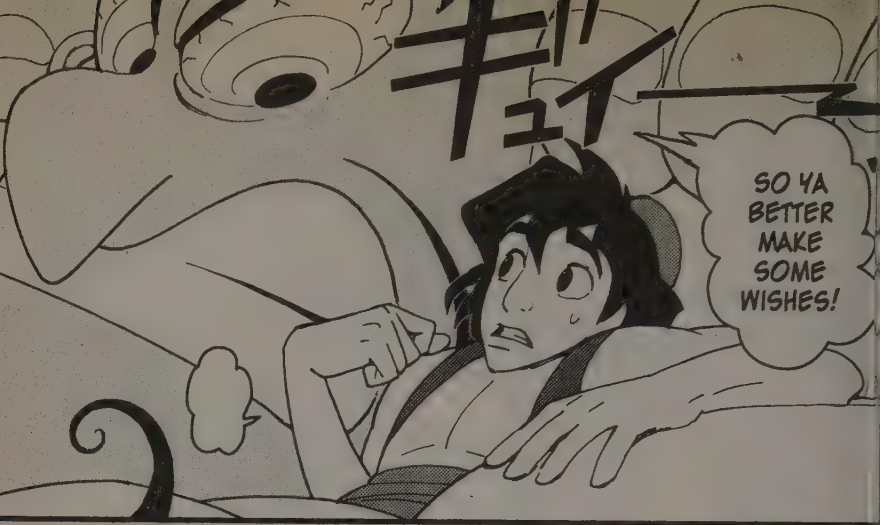
WHAT  
DO THEY  
CALL YA?

A-  
ALADDIN  
...

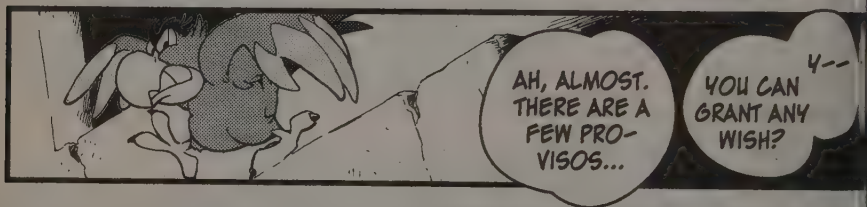


HEY,  
HEY,  
HEY!

THE ONE,  
THE ONLY  
**GENIE  
OF THE  
LAMP!**



SO YA  
BETTER  
MAKE  
SOME  
WISHES!



AH, ALMOST.  
THERE ARE A  
FEW PRO-  
VISOS...

YOU CAN  
GRANT ANY  
WISH?



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JAFAR  
!!

JAFAR!





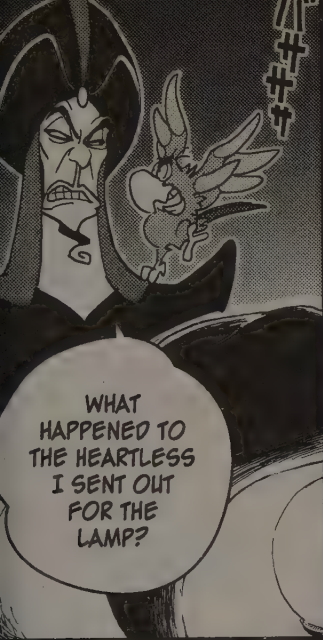


HE'LL HAVE  
NO **CHOICE**  
BUT TO HAND  
OVER THE  
LAMP.

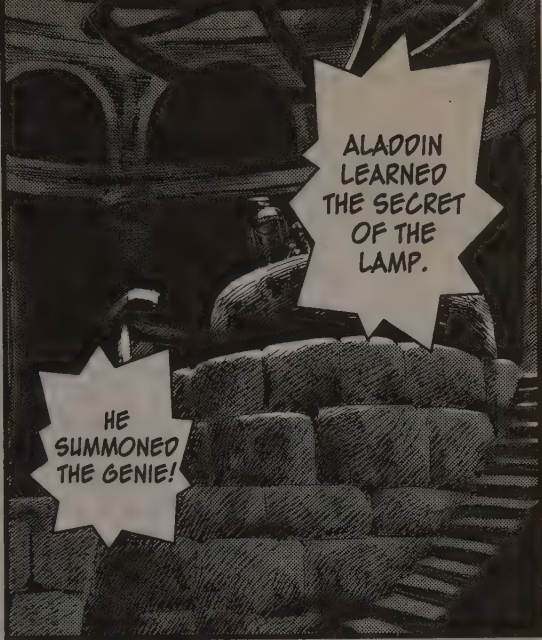
YOU'RE  
NOT THINKING  
OF MAKING ME  
GO RETRIEVE  
THE LAMP, ARE  
YOU?

MWA  
HA...  
MWA HA  
HA!!

MWA HA  
HA HA  
HA HA  
HA!!

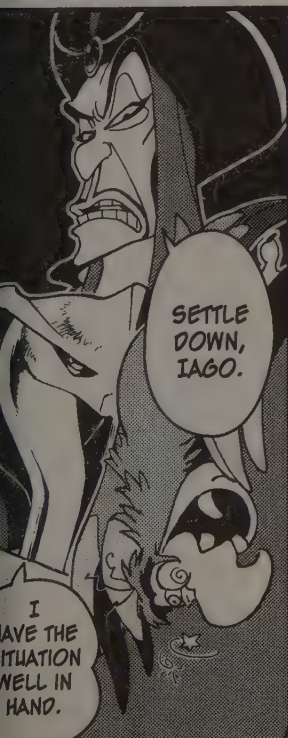


WHAT  
HAPPENED TO  
THE HEARTLESS  
I SENT OUT  
FOR THE  
LAMP?



ALADDIN  
LEARNED  
THE SECRET  
OF THE  
LAMP.

HE  
SUMMONED  
THE GENIE!



SETTLE  
DOWN,  
IAGO.

I  
HAVE THE  
SITUATION  
WELL IN  
HAND.



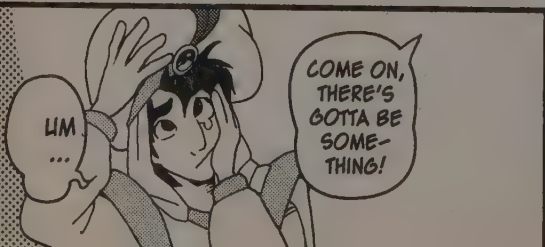
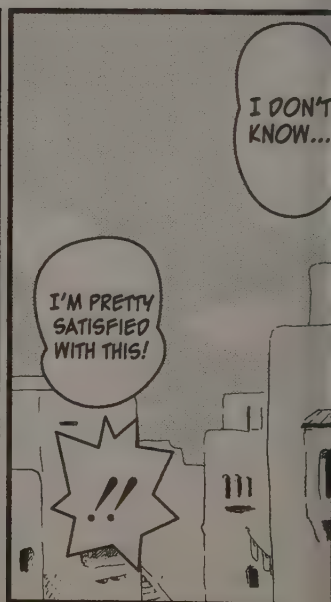
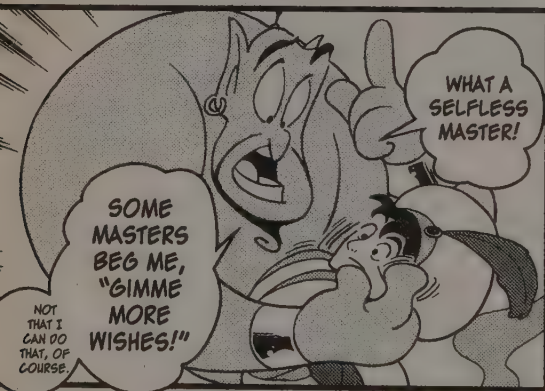
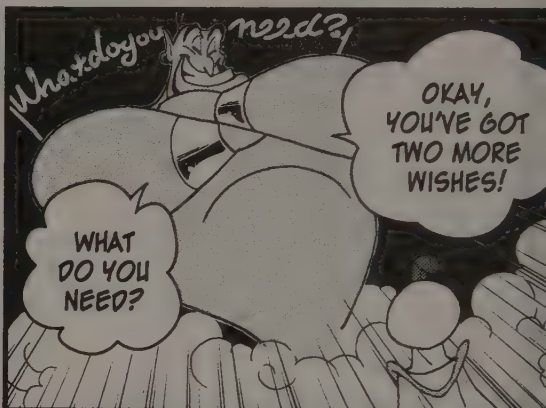
SOME  
WEIRDOES  
APPEARED AND  
DEFEATED  
THEM ALL!

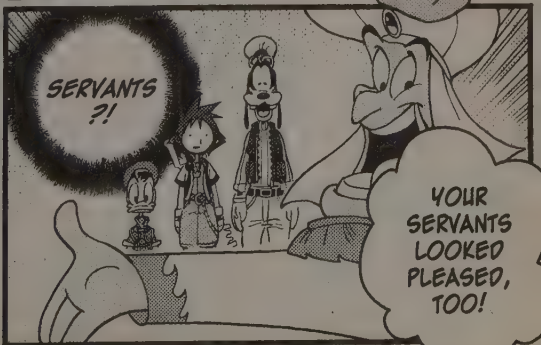
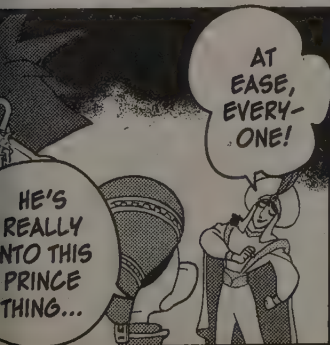
WHAT'LL  
WE DO  
?!



AND JUST  
IMAGINE THE  
LOOK ON THAT  
VIZIER GUY'S  
FACE!

NOW I CAN  
PROPOSE TO  
JASMINE!



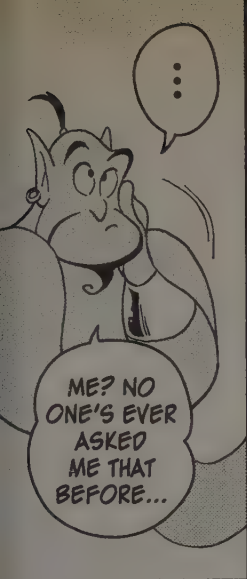


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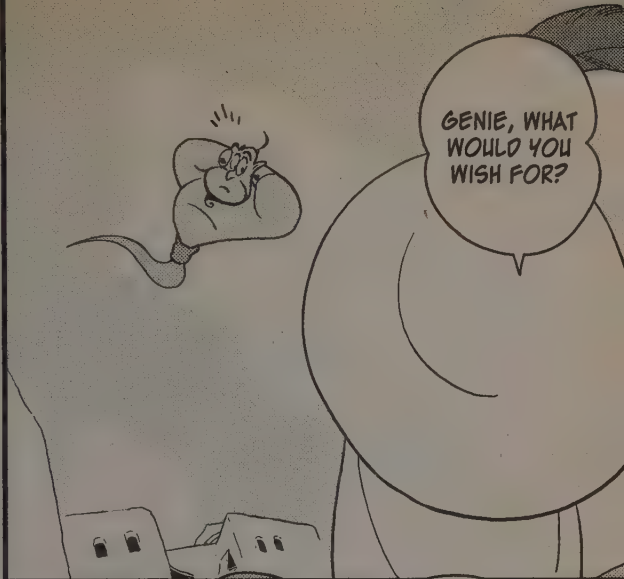
## Wish



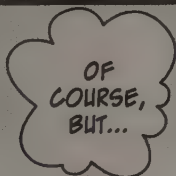




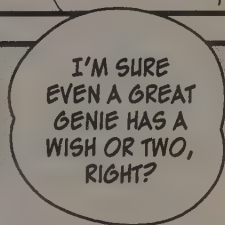
ME? NO  
ONE'S EVER  
ASKED  
ME THAT  
BEFORE...



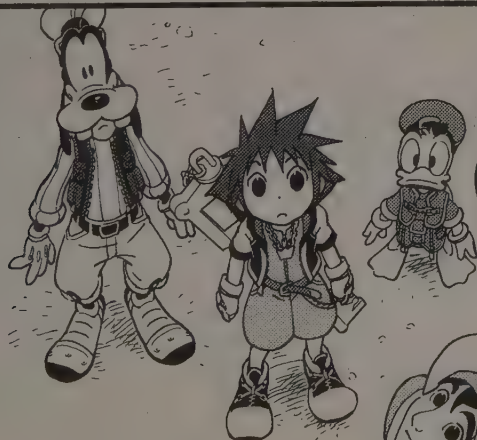
GENIE, WHAT  
WOULD YOU  
WISH FOR?



OF  
COURSE,  
BUT...



I'M SURE  
EVEN A GREAT  
GENIE HAS A  
WISH OR TWO,  
RIGHT?



...IT'S  
A DREAM  
GREATER  
THAN YOU CAN  
POSSIBLY  
IMAGINE!

I'D WISH  
FOR...

...FREEDOM.

THAT'S  
RIGHT...

FREEDOM.

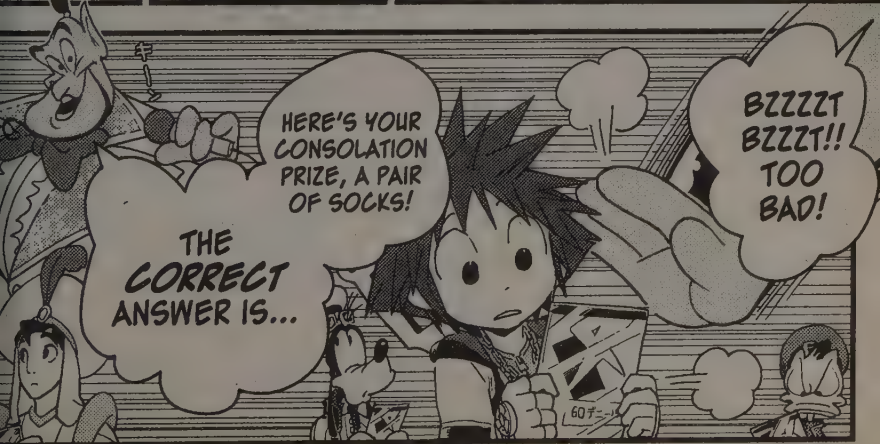
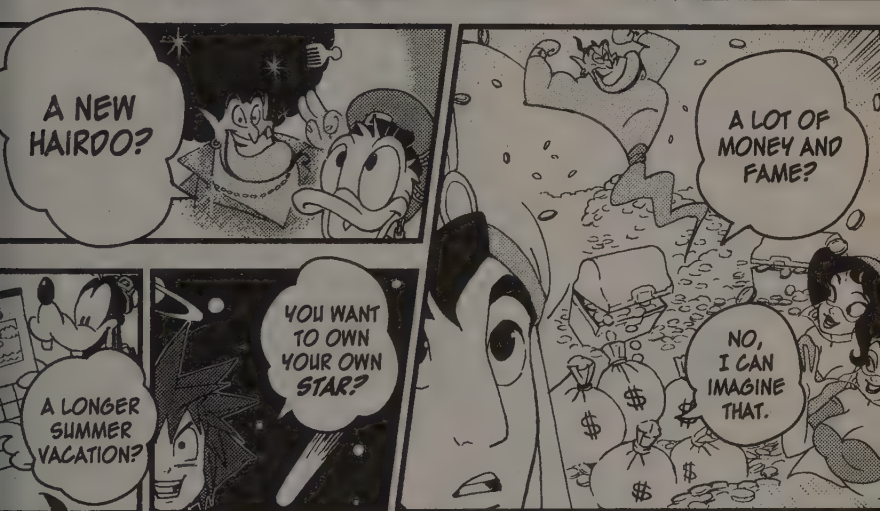
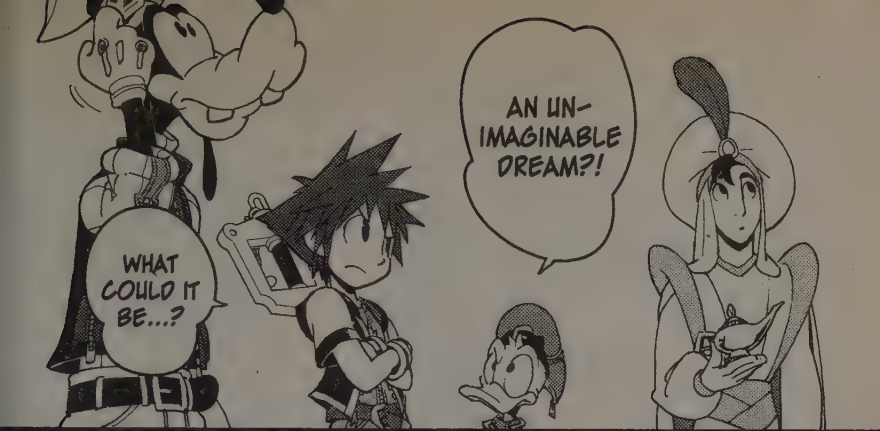
FREEDOM?

...DELIVERING  
HAPPINESS TO  
EVERYONE BUT  
MYSELF.

I'VE BEEN  
TIED UP IN  
THIS LITTLE  
LAMP FOR  
2,000  
YEARS...

POOF!  
WHAT  
DO YOU  
NEED?

POOF!  
WHAT  
DO YOU  
NEED?

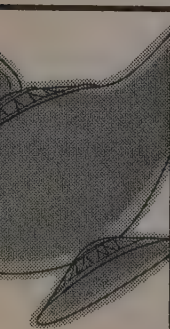
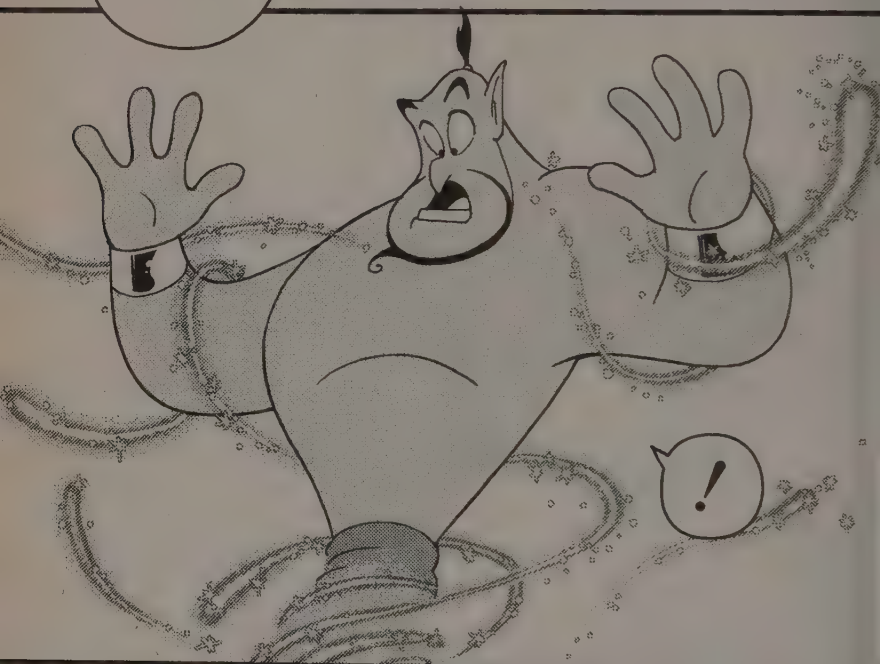






GENIE,  
YOU'RE  
FREE!

...YOUR  
FREEDOM.






BUT  
ANYWAY.

WE  
SHOULD BE  
TALKING  
ABOUT  
**YOUR**  
WISH!

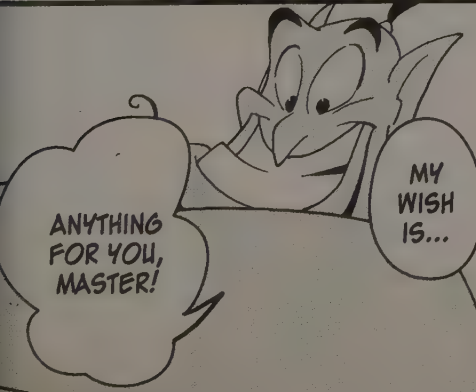
...AND BE  
FREE TO  
TRAVEL ALL  
OVER THE  
WORLD...

WHAT I  
WOULDN'T  
GIVE TO BE  
RELEASED  
FROM THIS  
ITTY-BITTY  
LIVING  
SPACE...



THIS ISN'T  
A CHANCE  
YOU GET  
EVERY DAY!

SO  
WHAT'S IT  
GONNA BE,  
MASTER?!



ANYTHING  
FOR YOU,  
MASTER!

MY  
WISH  
IS...



OKAY,  
GENIE.



THIS IS  
MY TOKEN  
OF GRATITUDE  
FOR MAKING  
ME A PRINCE.



HE'S BEEN  
GRANTING  
EVERYONE  
ELSE'S  
WISHES.



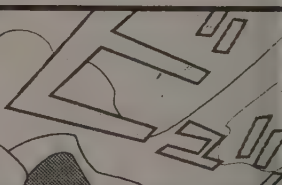
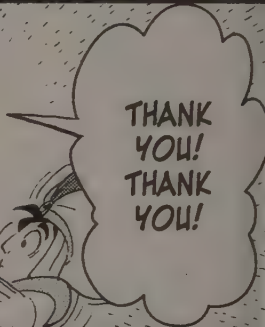
IS THAT  
WHAT YOU  
WANTED?



YOU'RE  
MY SAVIOR! MY  
MOON, MY STARS,  
MY SUN! MY KING  
OF HEAVEN!



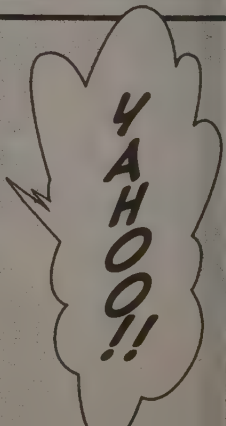
THANK  
YOU!  
THANK  
YOU!



I'M  
FREE  
!!!

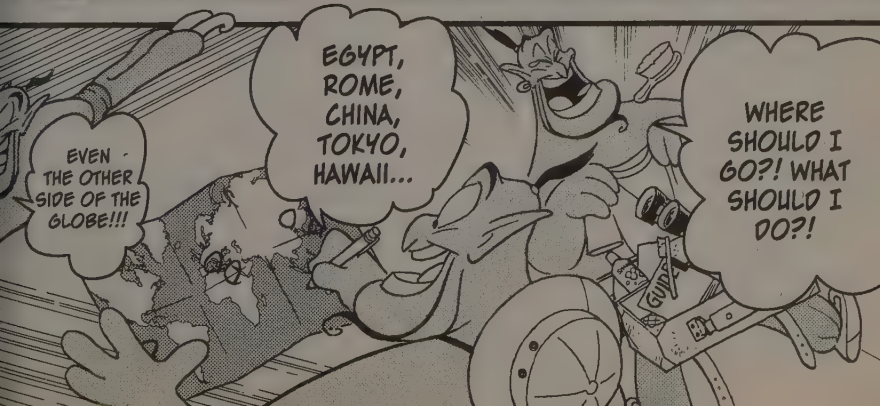
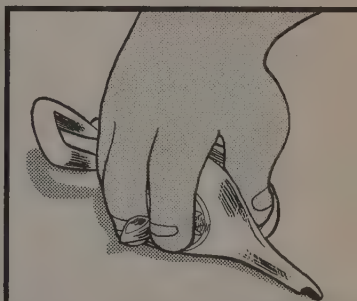
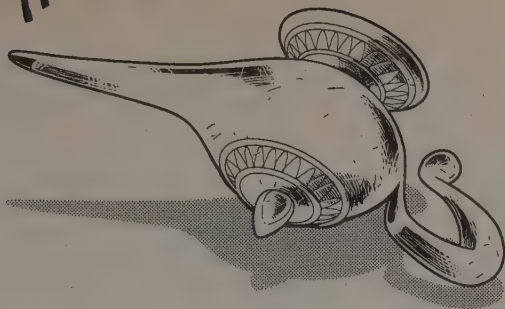


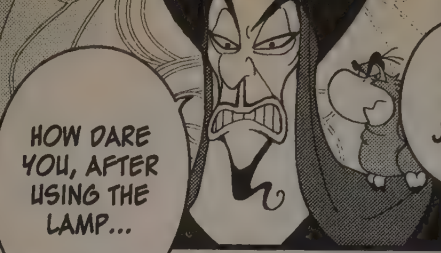
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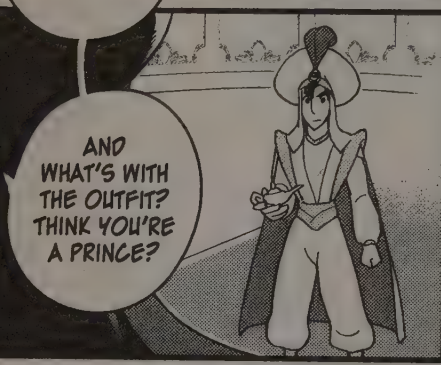




HOW DARE  
YOU, AFTER  
USING THE  
LAMP...

SO LET  
ME SEE  
JASMINE.

I'M  
GIVING  
YOU THE  
LAMP.



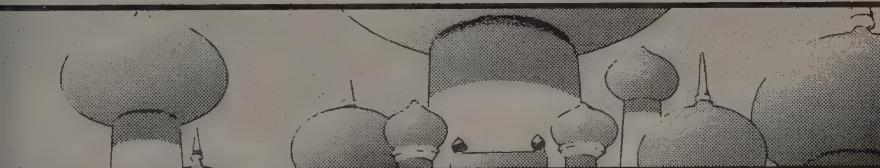
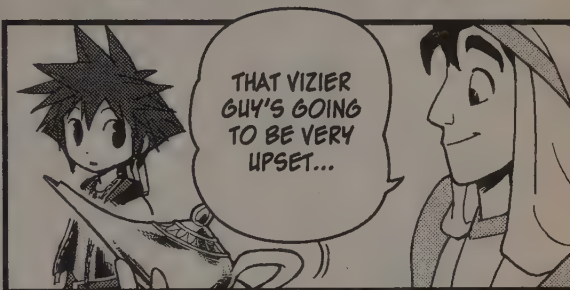
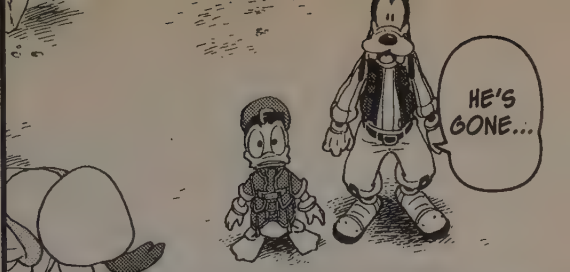
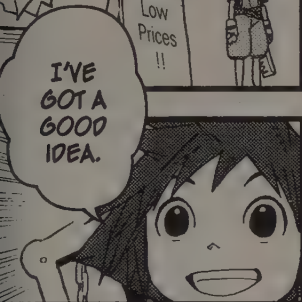
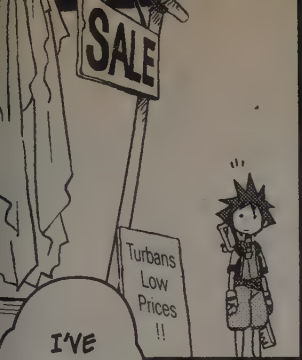
AND  
WHAT'S WITH  
THE OUTFIT?  
THINK YOU'RE  
A PRINCE?

AND I WANT  
TO SEE THE  
PRINCESS.

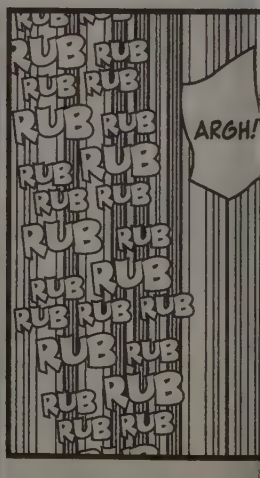
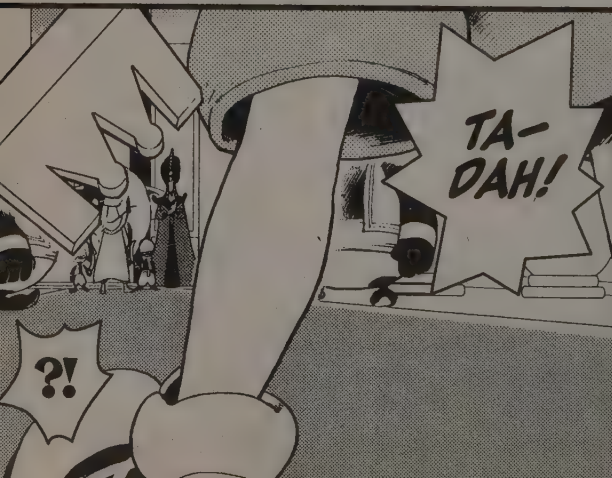
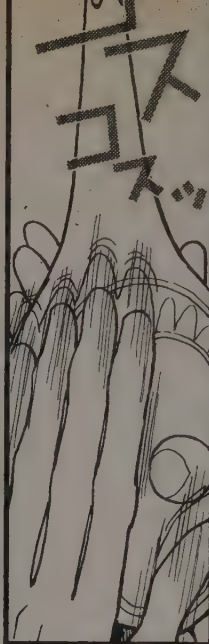
I AM A  
PRINCE.



IS THAT  
SO?









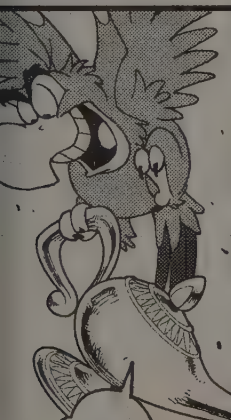
DON'T  
FORGET THAT  
WE HOLD THE  
TRUMP CARD.



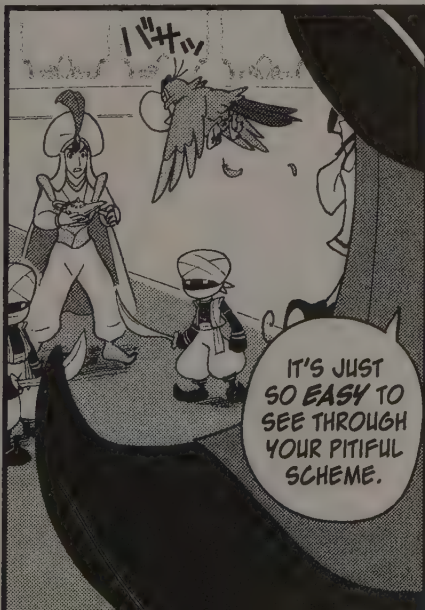
YOU KNOW  
WHAT'LL  
HAPPEN TO  
THE PRINCESS  
IF YOU CALL  
THE GENIE.



HOLD  
IT!

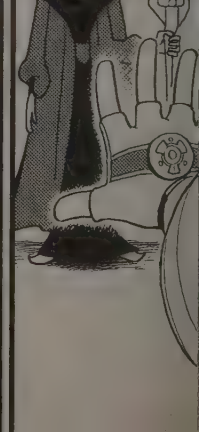
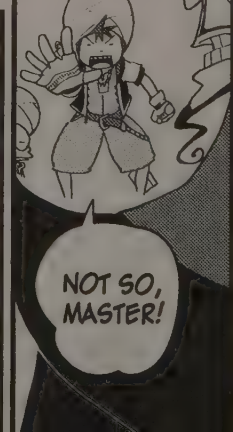
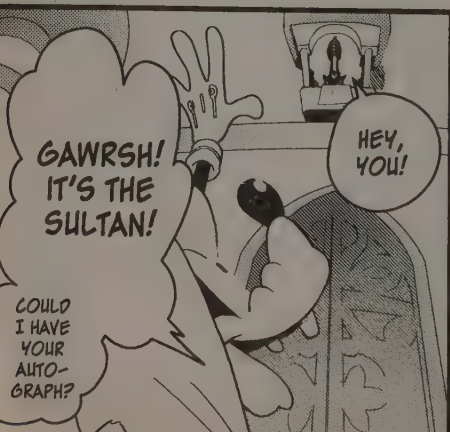
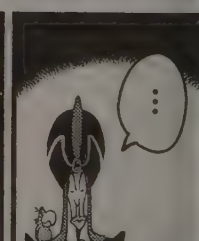
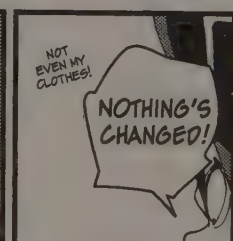
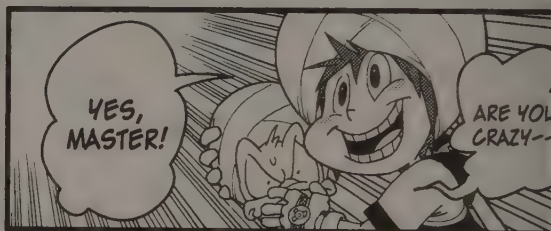
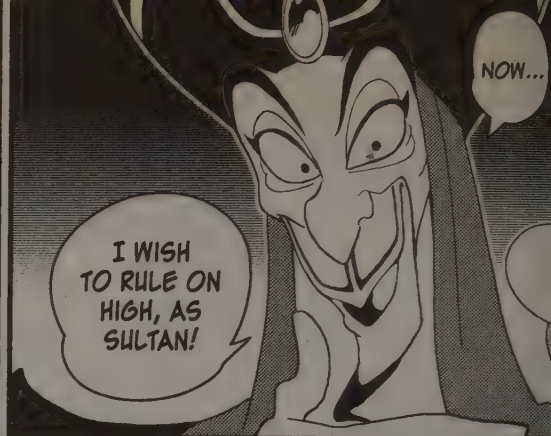
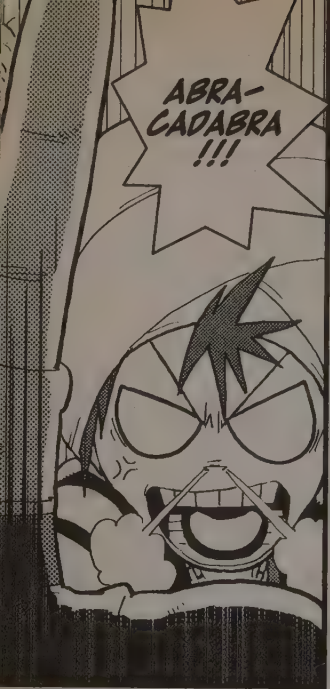


YES!



IT'S JUST  
SO EASY TO  
SEE THROUGH  
YOUR PITIFUL  
SCHEME.







WE'RE  
HERE TO  
GRANT  
YOU THREE  
WISHES!

BEHOLD!  
WE ARE  
THE THREE  
GENIES!



I CAN'T  
BELIEVE  
WE'RE DOING  
THIS.

MY  
TURBAN'S  
FALLING  
OFF...

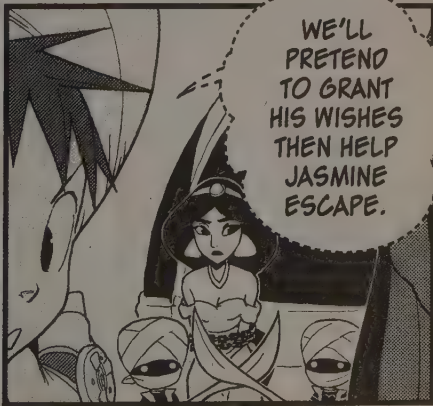
LOOK,  
OUR PLAN'S  
WORKING.

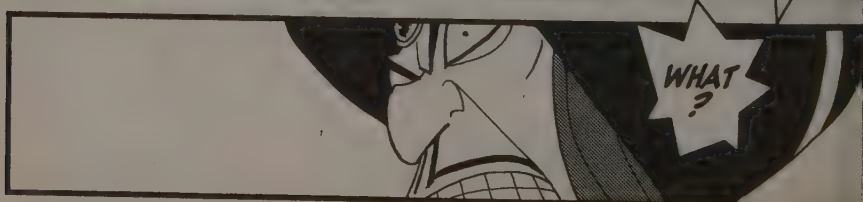
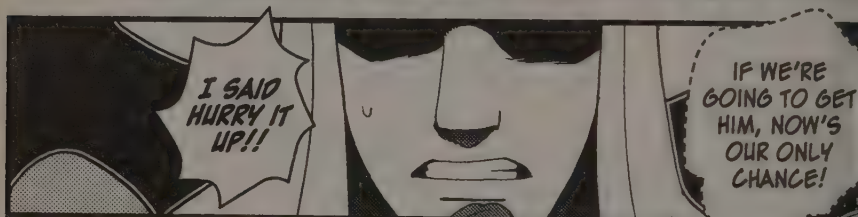
AH, AT  
LAST!

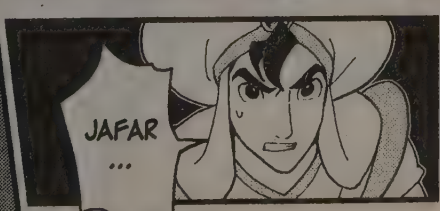
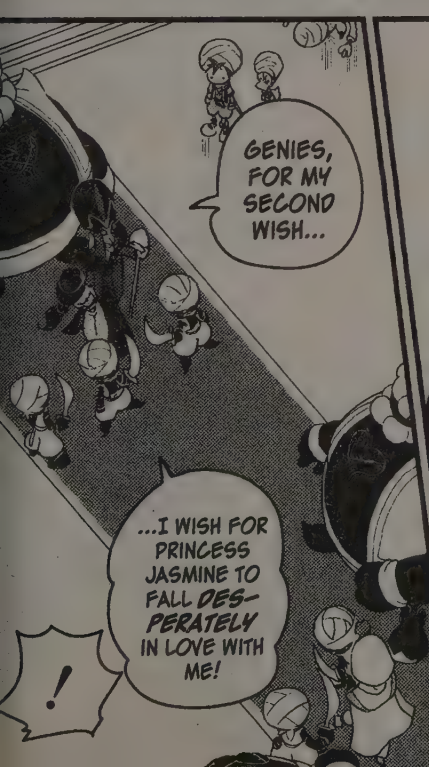
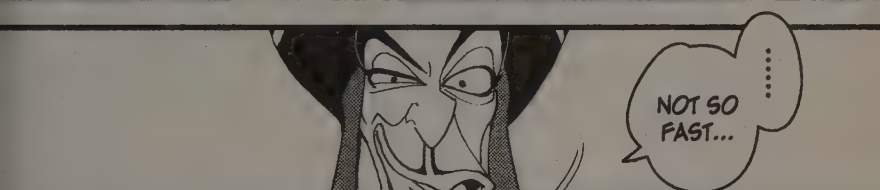
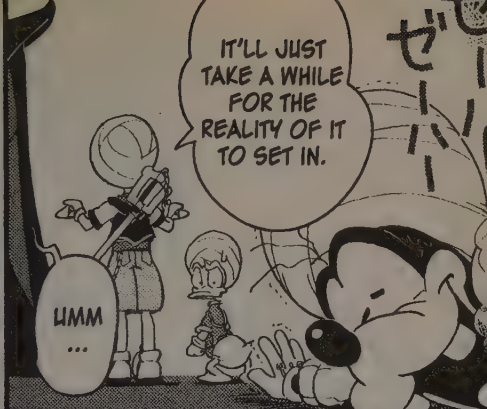
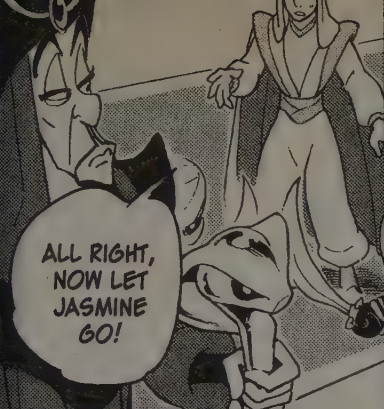
GENIES,  
GRANT ME  
MY FIRST  
WISH...

YEAH--  
YES,  
MASTER  
?!

WE'LL  
PRETEND  
TO GRANT  
HIS WISHES  
THEN HELP  
JASMINE  
ESCAPE.



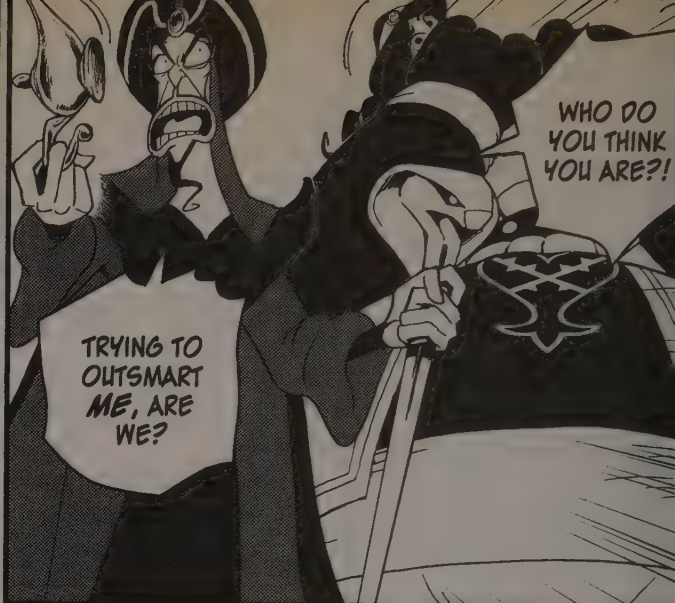






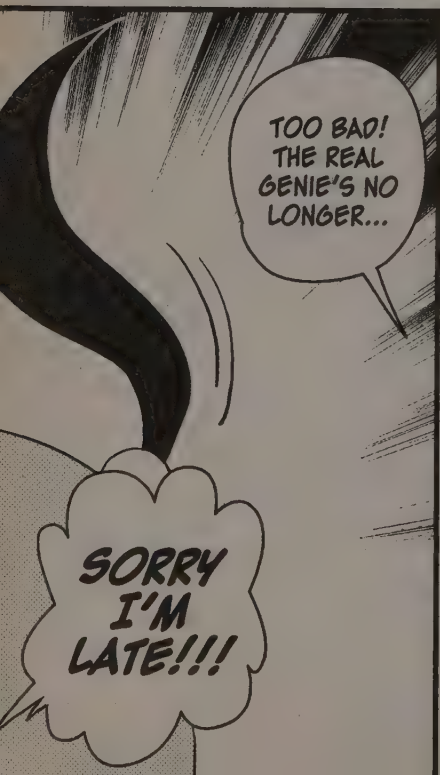


PLAY  
ACTING WITH  
A FAKE  
LAMP...



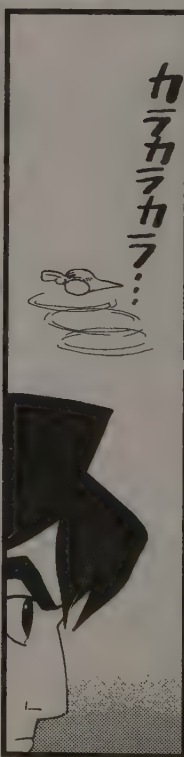
TRYING TO  
OUTSMART  
ME, ARE  
WE?

WHO DO  
YOU THINK  
YOU ARE?!



TOO BAD!  
THE REAL  
GENIE'S NO  
LONGER...

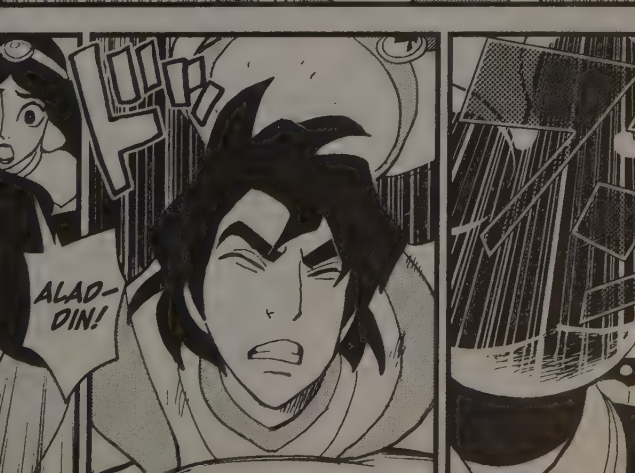
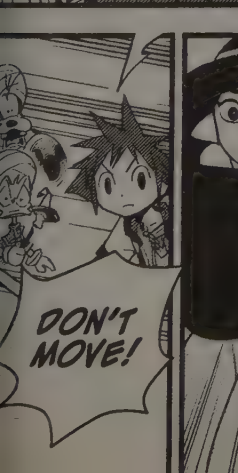
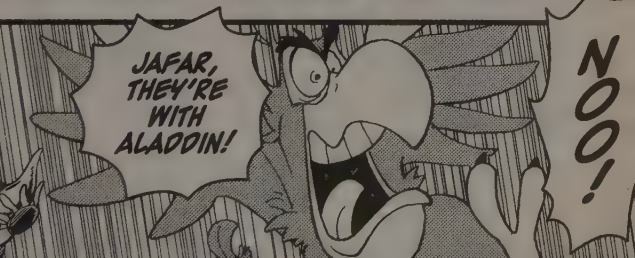
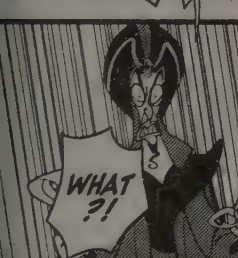
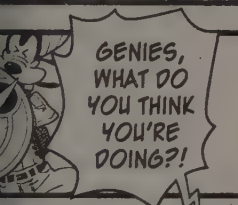
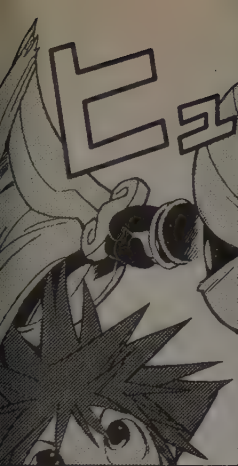
**SORRY  
I'M  
LATE!!!**



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...



WHERE'S  
THE REAL  
LAMP?!!





THAT  
OUTFIT'S  
FREE OF  
CHARGE.

EXCELLENT  
NOW THAT'S  
WHAT I'M  
TALKING  
ABOUT!



GENIE!

I WISH TO  
BE THE MOST  
POWERFUL  
SORCERER IN  
THE WORLD!



MWAH  
HA HA  
HA!

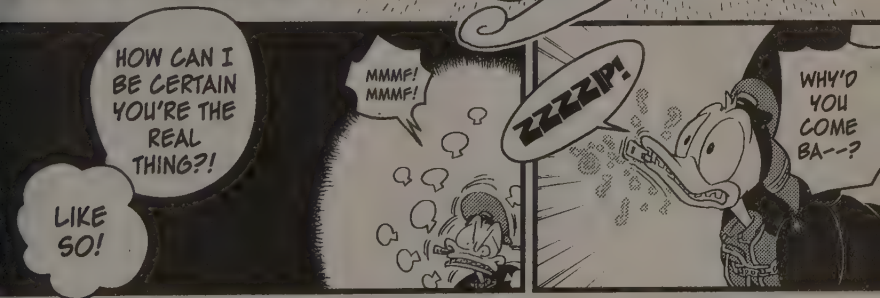
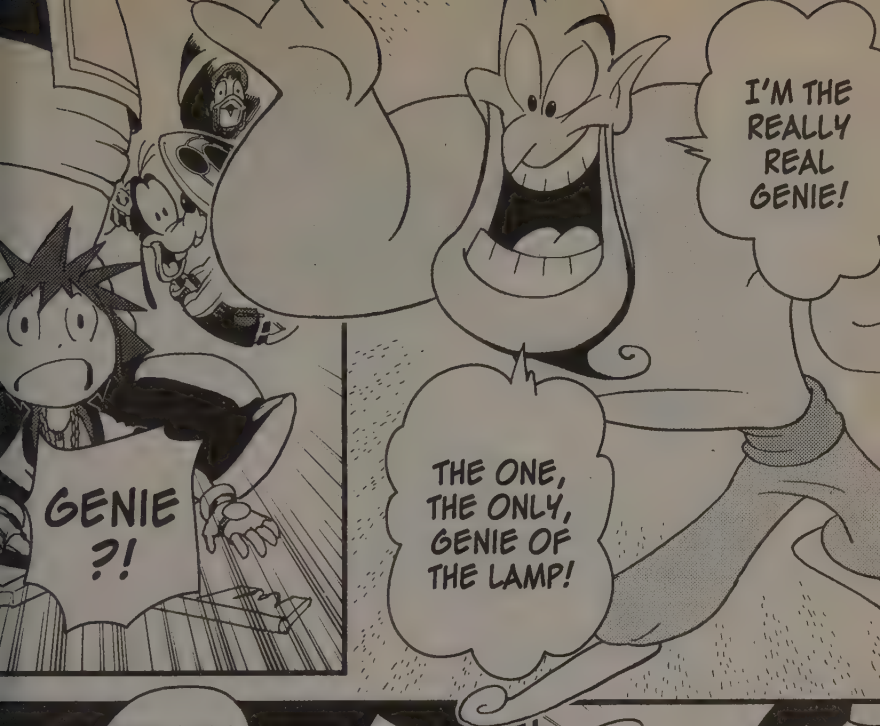


EVERYONE  
ON EARTH  
SHALL KNEEL  
BEFORE  
ME!!



GAZE  
UPON MY  
GLORY WITH  
ENVY!





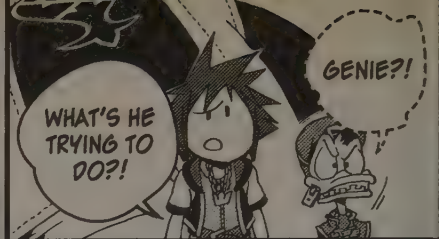


I  
SEE...

A  
GENIE,  
HUH?

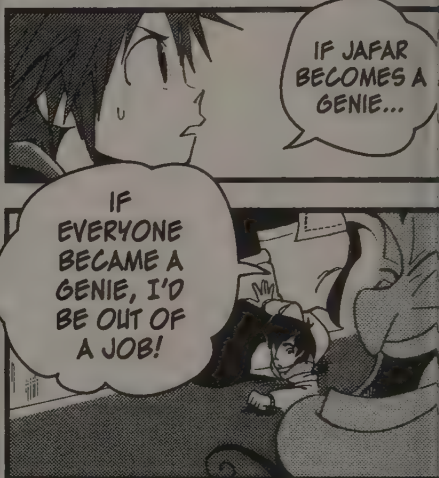
THERE  
IS *ONE*  
THING THAT  
WORRIES  
ME,  
THOUGH.

HE  
KNOWS  
!



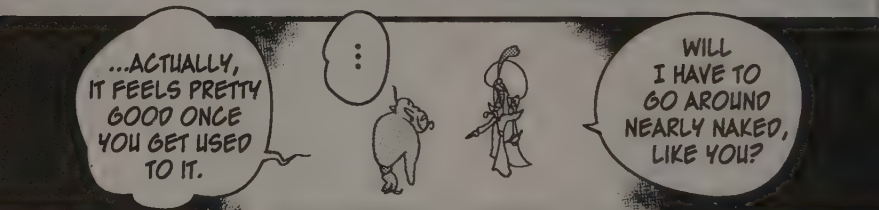
WHAT'S HE  
TRYING TO  
DO?!

GENIE?!



IF JAFAR  
BECOMES A  
GENIE...

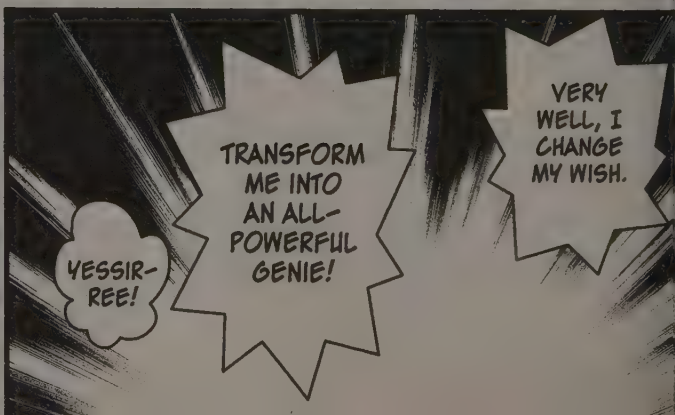
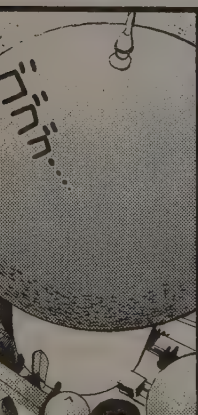
IF  
EVERYONE  
BECAME A  
GENIE, I'D  
BE OUT OF  
A JOB!



...ACTUALLY,  
IT FEELS PRETTY  
GOOD ONCE  
YOU GET USED  
TO IT.

...


WILL  
I HAVE TO  
GO AROUND  
NEARLY NAKED,  
LIKE YOU?



TRANSFORM  
ME INTO  
AN ALL-  
POWERFUL  
GENIE!

VERY  
WELL, I  
CHANGE  
MY WISH.

YESSIR-  
REE!



DON'T TELL ME, YOU'RE ONE OF THOSE GUYS LOOKING FOR ALMIGHTY POWER?

A SORCERER ...?

...IF IT'S TRUE ALMIGHTY POWER YOU WANT...

JUST BETWEEN YOU AND ME...

THAT'S RIGHT, SO HURRY IT UP!

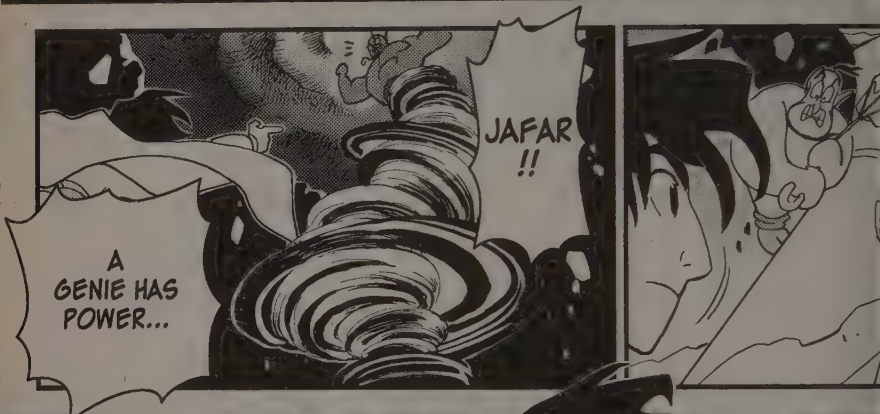
MUMBLE MUMBLE...

A SORCERER CAN ONLY USE SORCERY AFTER GRUELING STUDY AND PRACTICE.

...YOU SHOULD SAY "I WISH TO BECOME A GENIE."

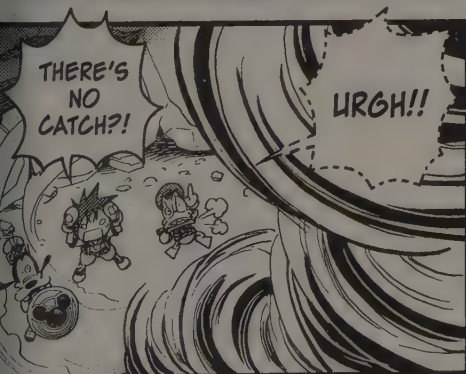
BUT A GENIE CAN MAKE ANY WISH COME TRUE!





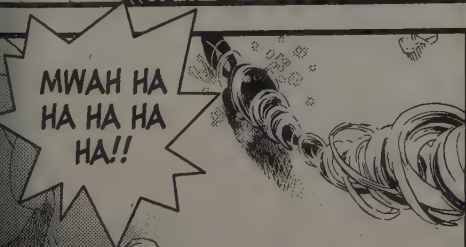


**YEESSS!!**

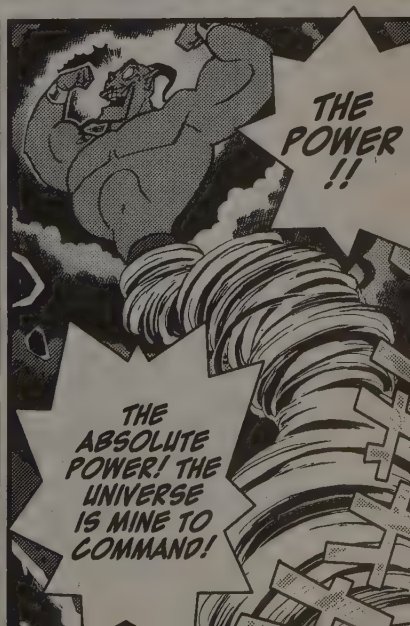


**THERE'S  
NO  
CATCH?!**

**URGH!!**



**MWAH HA  
HA HA HA  
HA!!**



**THE  
POWER  
!!**

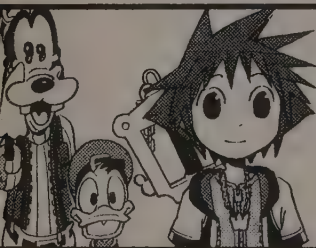
**THE  
ABSOLUTE  
POWER! THE  
UNIVERSE  
IS MINE TO  
COMMAND!**



III  
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I

BECAUSE  
I'M FREE.

I  
WANTED TO  
HELP YOU,  
ALADDIN.

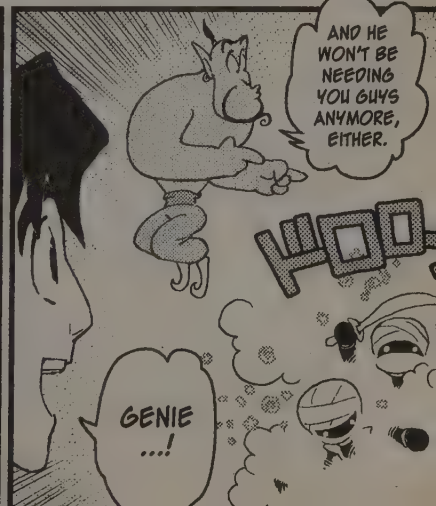
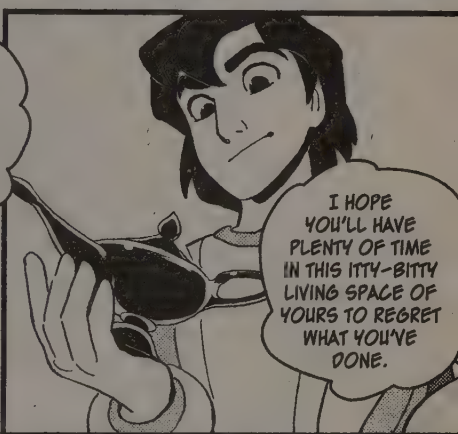
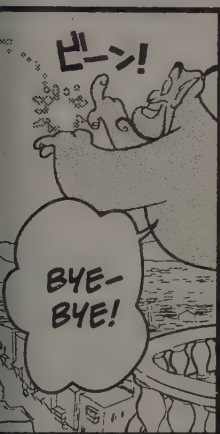
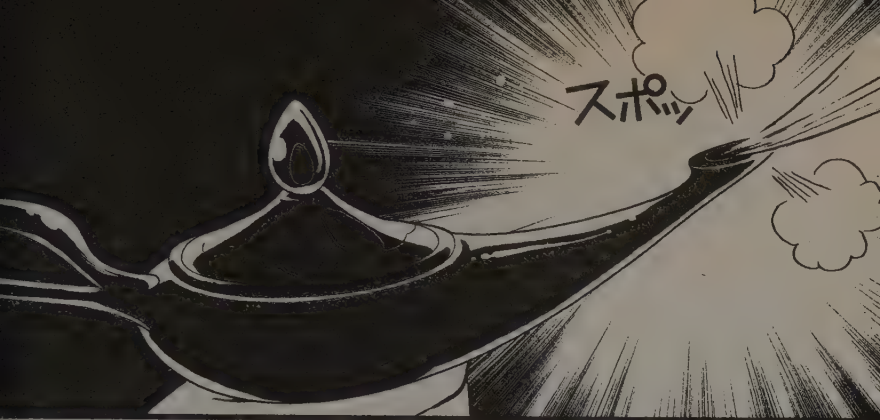


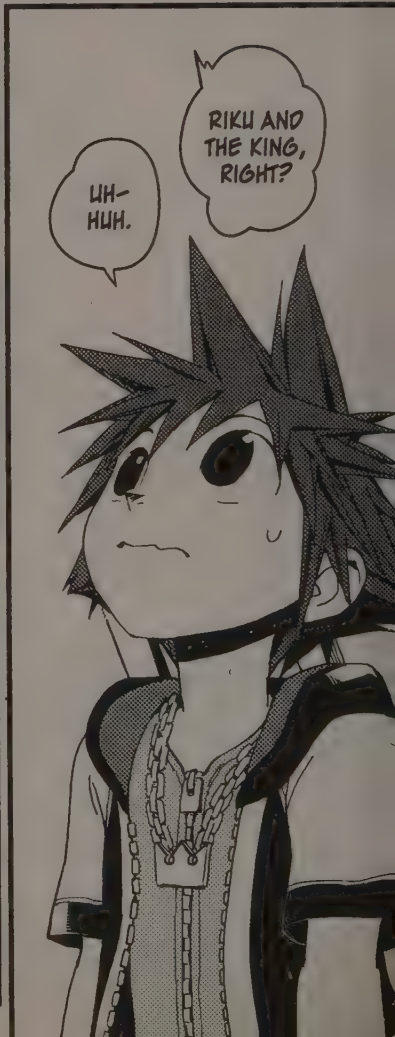
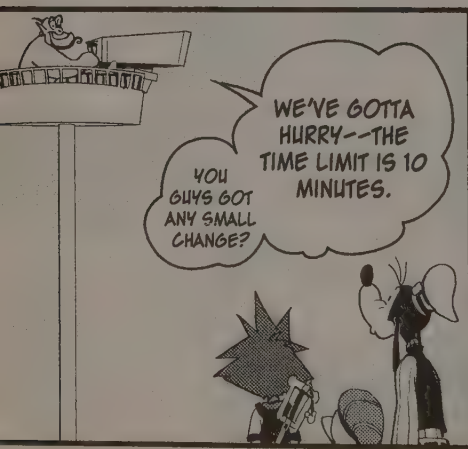
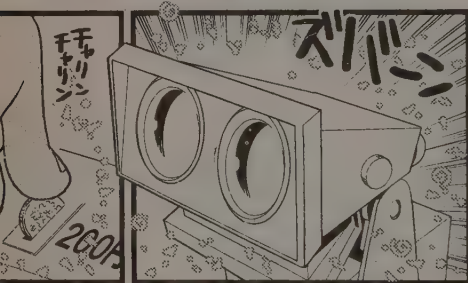
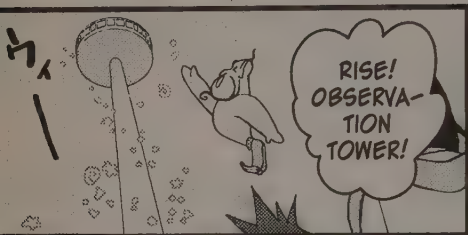
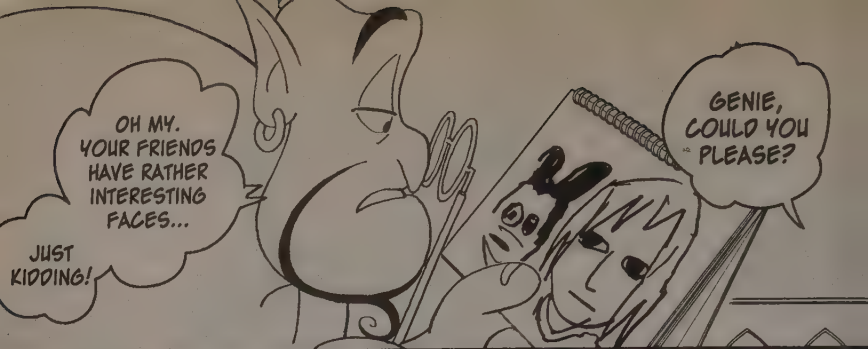
THANK  
YOU, AL.

GENIE...

BEING ABLE  
TO DO WHAT  
YOU WISH IS THE  
BEST THING IN  
THE WORLD!







YOU'VE  
HELPED ME  
ENOUGH  
ALREADY!

THAT  
WASN'T  
EXACTLY  
YOUR WISH,  
THOUGH.

...YOU DO  
HAVE ONE  
MORE WISH!

AND  
...

COULDN'T STOP  
THINKING ABOUT  
IT...CALL IT AN  
OCCUPATIONAL  
HAZARD, IF YOU  
WILL.

SHOULDN'T  
IT BE THE  
OTHER WAY  
AROUND?!

PLEASE  
MAKE A  
WISH!  
ANY-  
THING!

COME  
ON, YOU'RE  
EMBAR-  
RASSING  
ME!

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HOW ABOUT  
CELEBRATING  
YOUR WEDDING  
IN GRAND  
STYLE?

WOULD  
YOU BE  
ABLE TO  
HELP FIND  
THEM?

NO  
PROBLE-  
MO!

AH! D-DON'T  
WORRY ABOUT US--  
WE'LL FIND THEM  
ON OUR OWN...

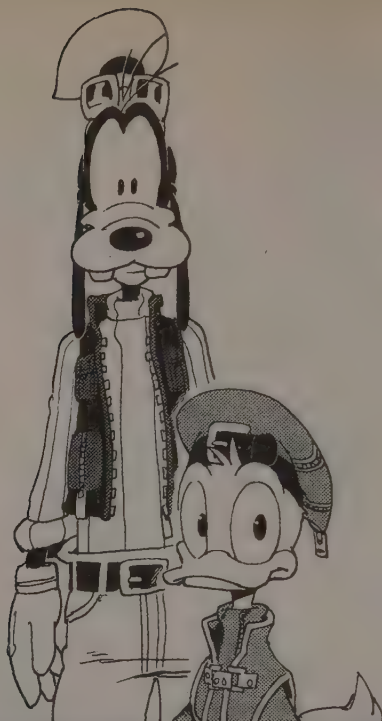
THIS  
TOWN IS  
PRETTY BIG,  
YOU GUYS.

YOU  
HELPED ME  
OUT, SO NOW  
T'S MY TURN TO  
HELP YOU.

SORA,  
DONALD AND  
GOOBY ARE  
SEARCHING  
FOR THEIR  
FRIENDS.

OKAY.



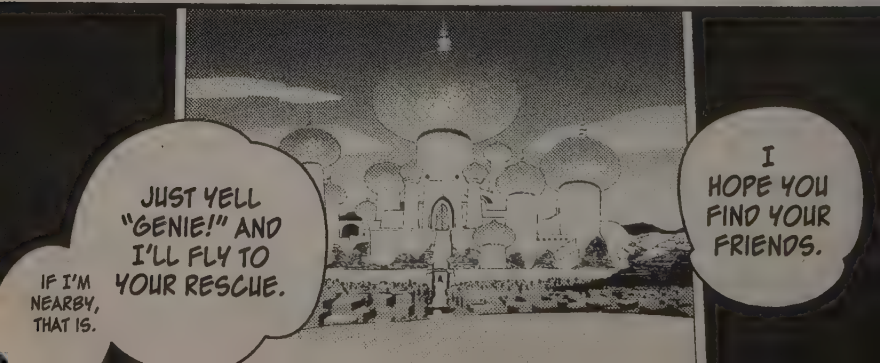


THEY'RE  
PROBABLY  
IN ANOTHER  
WORLD.



OH...  
NOTHING.

WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN?



IF I'M  
NEARBY,  
THAT IS.

JUST YELL  
"GENIE!" AND  
I'LL FLY TO  
YOUR RESCUE.

I  
HOPE YOU  
FIND YOUR  
FRIENDS.

LET'S  
SEE...



AND I'M  
CLAIRVOYANT!


I DON'T  
SEE THEM  
IN THIS  
TOWN.

...

THANKS  
ANYWAY  
...

WELL...

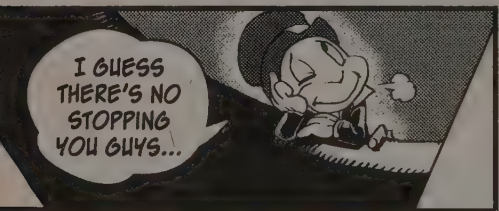
LET'S  
GO.




IF WE GIVE  
UP BECAUSE  
WE'RE AFRAID  
TO LOSE OUR  
MEMORY...

AND I  
STILL FEEL  
IT HERE IN  
MY HEART.

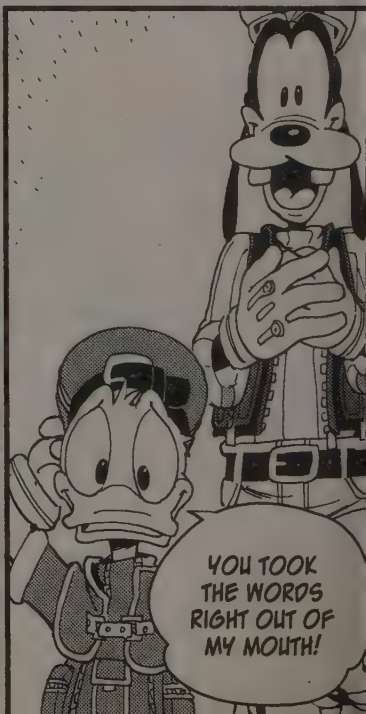
...I KNOW  
WE'LL  
REGRET IT  
FOREVER.



I GUESS  
THERE'S NO  
STOPPING  
YOU GUYS...

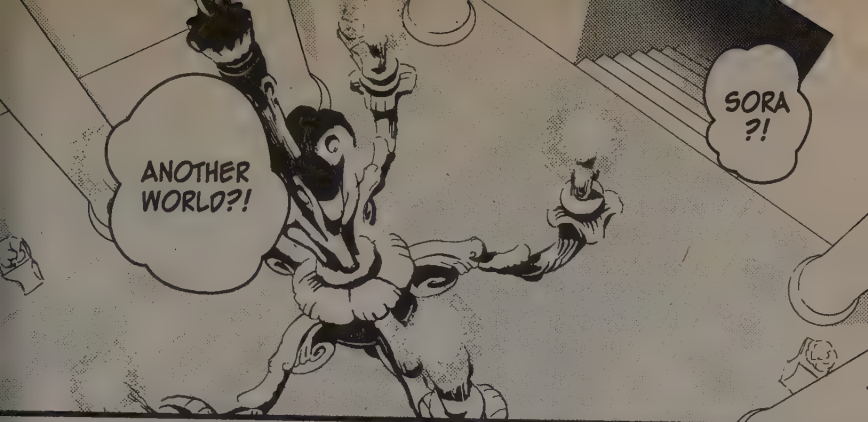


THE  
LUCKY  
CHARM...



YOU TOOK  
THE WORDS  
RIGHT OUT OF  
MY MOUTH!



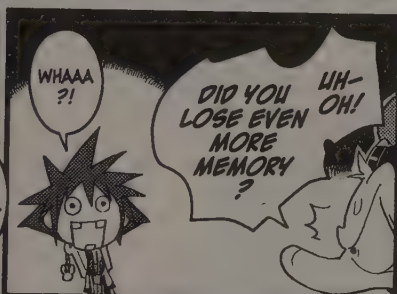


ANOTHER  
WORLD?!

SORA  
?!



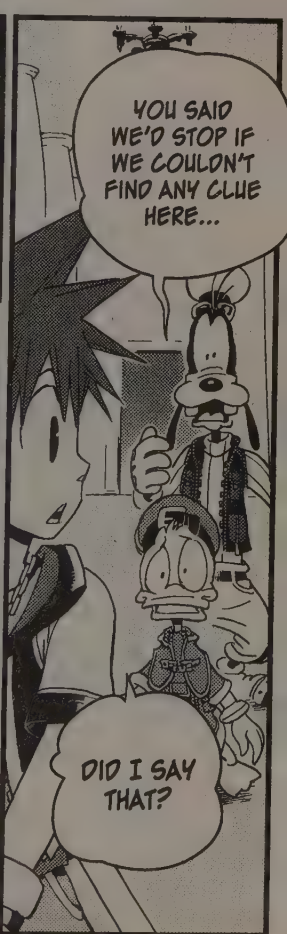
I WAS JUST  
REMEM- JUST  
KIDDING. KIDDING.  
BERING...



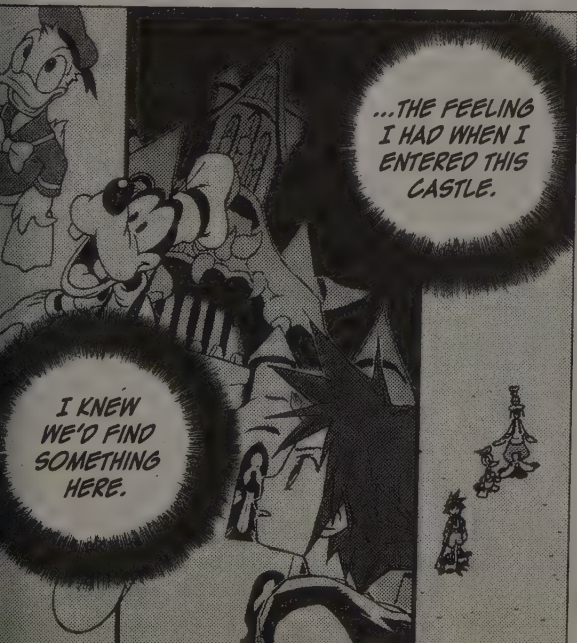
WHAAA  
?!

DID YOU LOSE EVEN  
MORE  
MEMORY ?

UH- OH!



YOU SAID  
WE'D STOP IF  
WE COULDN'T  
FIND ANY CLUE  
HERE...

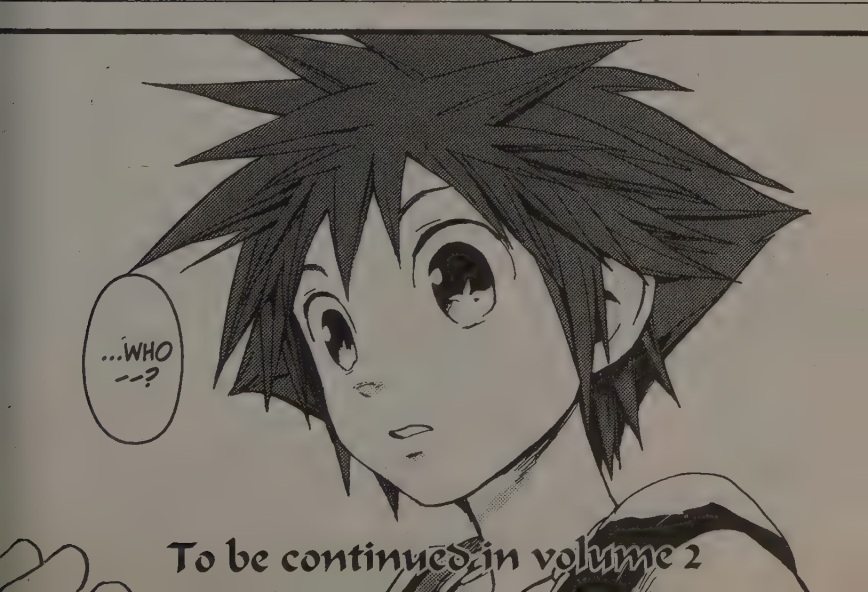
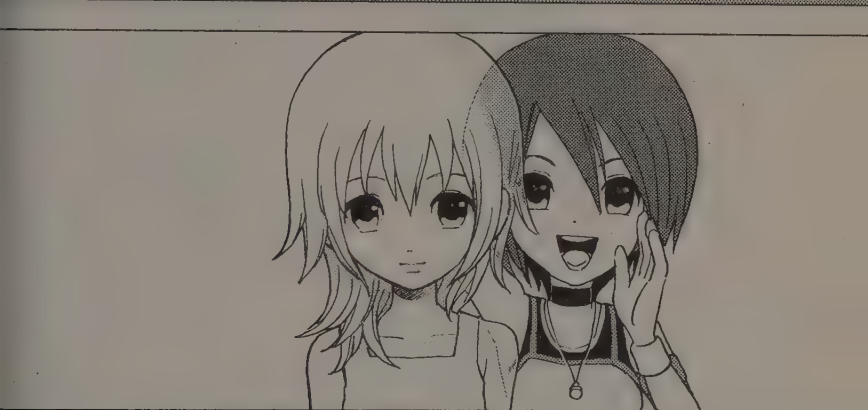
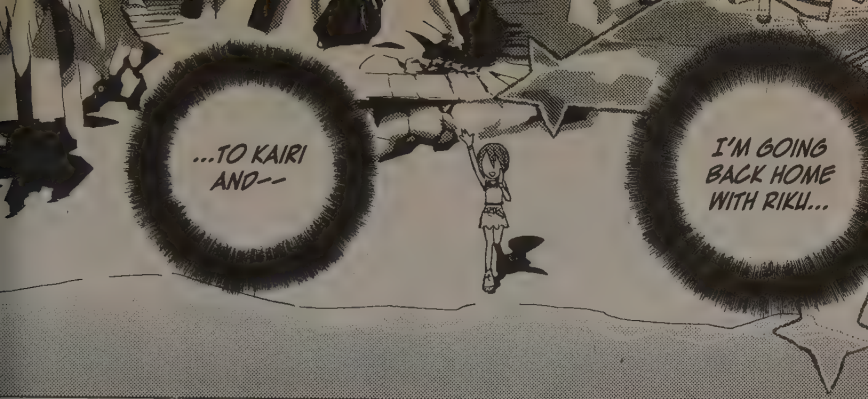


...THE FEELING  
I HAD WHEN I  
ENTERED THIS  
CASTLE.

I KNEW  
WE'D FIND  
SOMETHING  
HERE.

DID I SAY  
THAT?



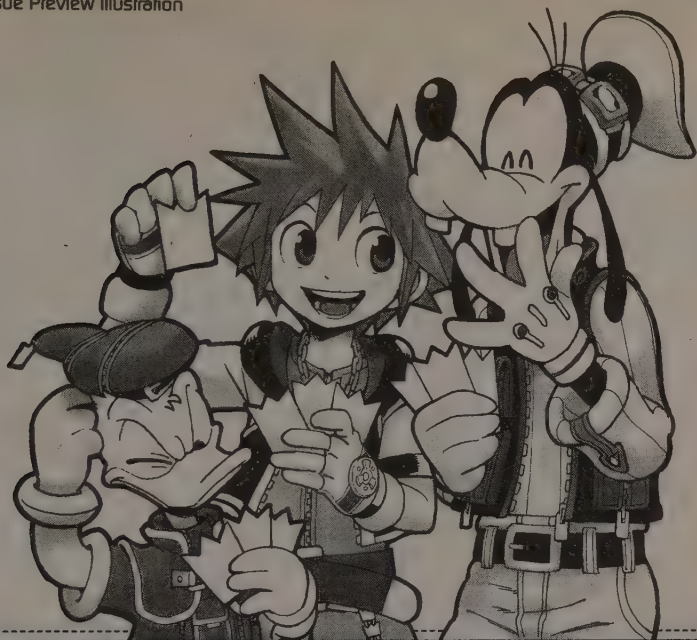


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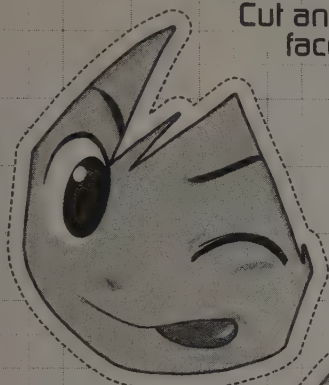
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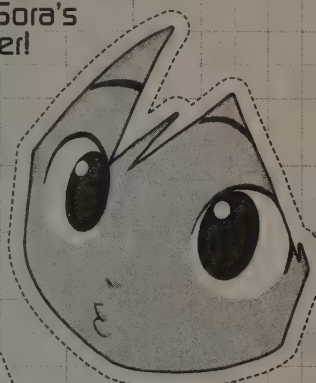


CHAIN OF MEMORIES  
**TRANSFORM SORA**

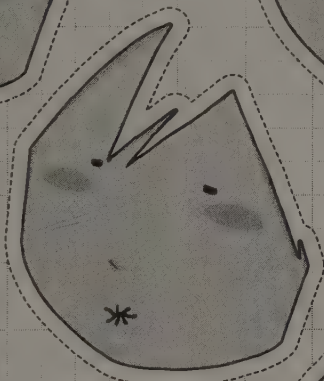
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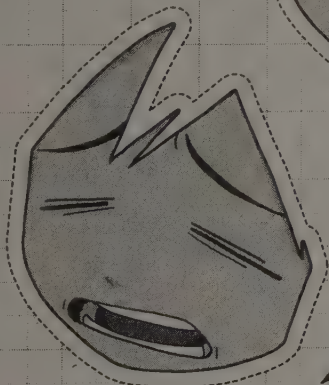
★ Smile



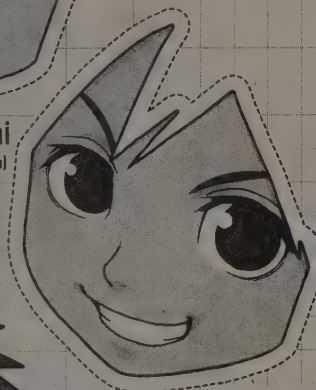
★ Clown



★ Umeboshi  
(sour pickled plum)

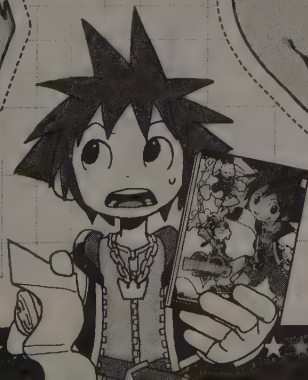


★ Disappointed



★ Huh?

I HOPE I  
DON'T LOOK  
FUNNY!





PLEASE..

...OH  
GATE OF  
PRAYERS.

HELP  
ME  
SAVE  
ERICA!

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ERICA  
MUST  
BE JUST  
BEYOND  
THIS LIGHT.

I  
KNOW  
IT!

LORD  
REI!  
WAIT!

TAKE  
CARE OF  
THINGS  
HERE  
UNTIL  
I GET  
BACK!

VAL-  
DOUS

WAIT  
FOR ME,  
ERICA.

I'M  
COMING  
TO SAVE  
YOU!

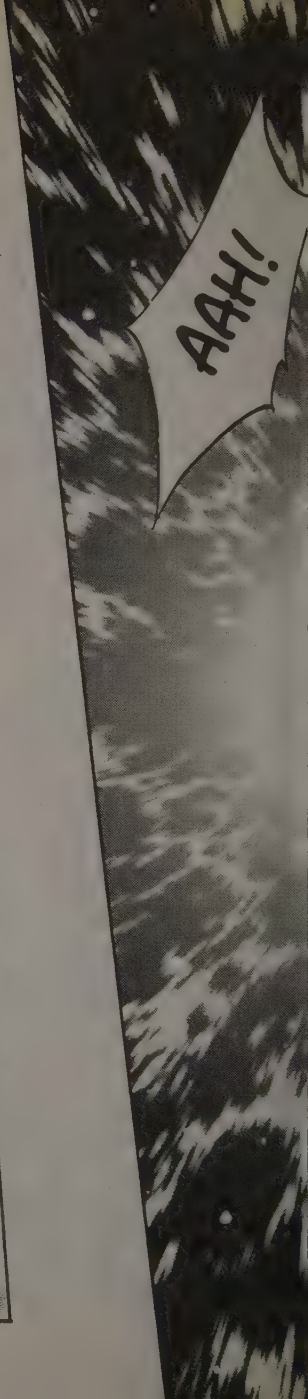
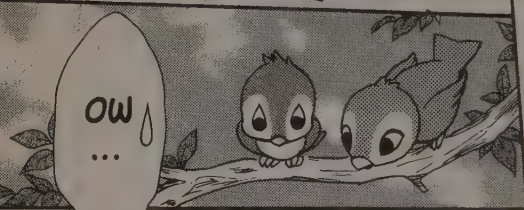


RUMBLE

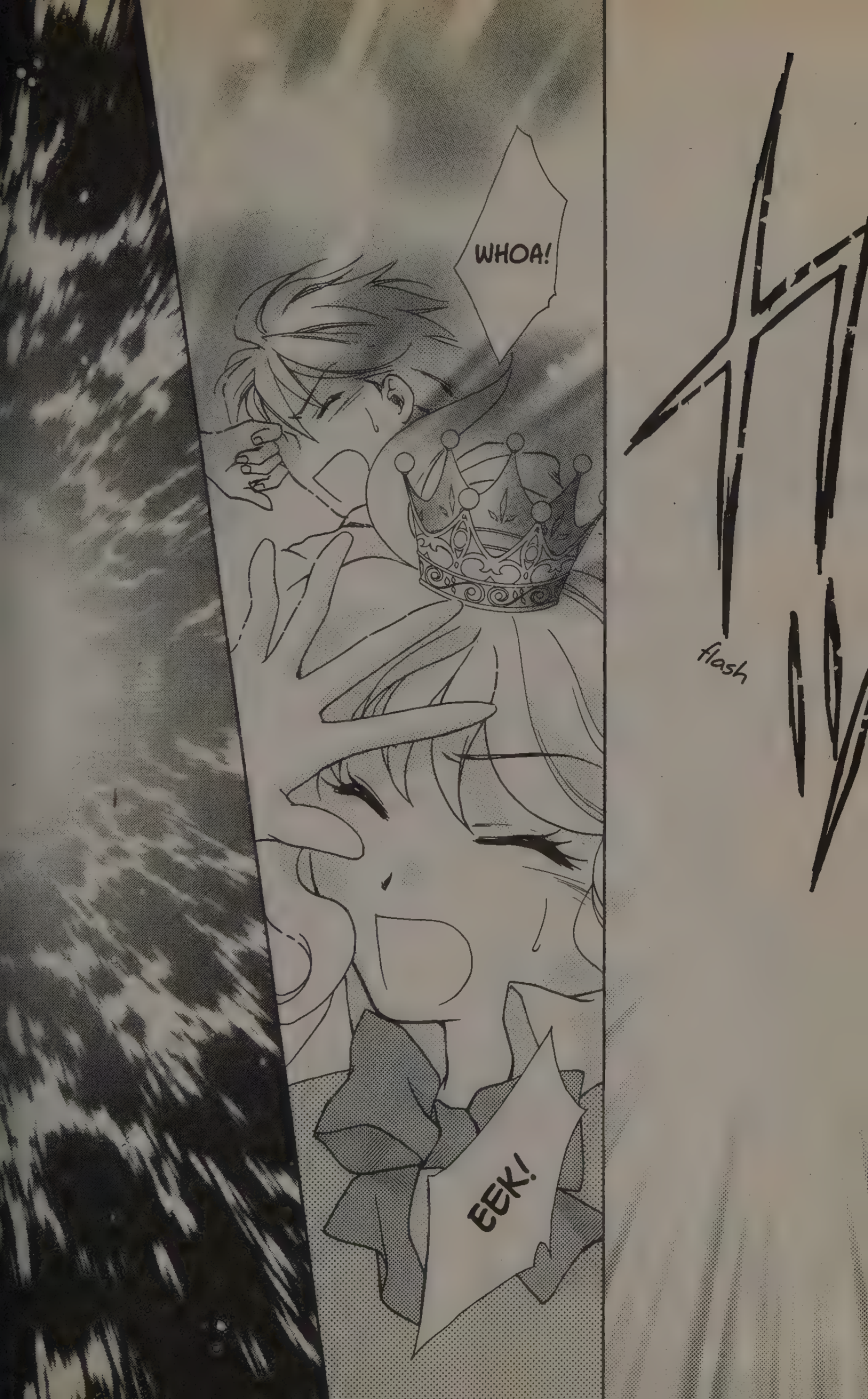
gleam

KILALA,  
YOU'RE  
AMAZING!





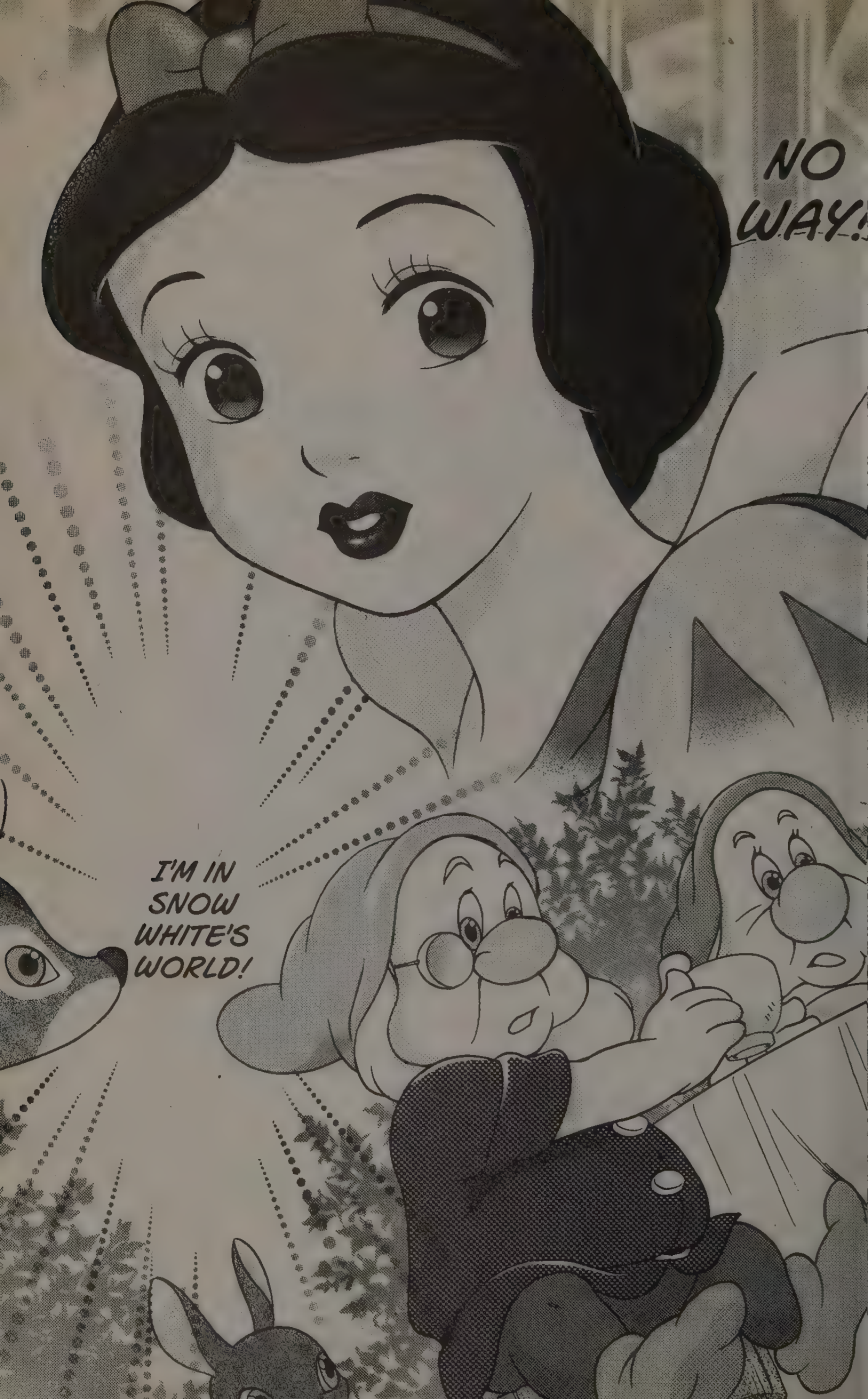




WHOA!

flash

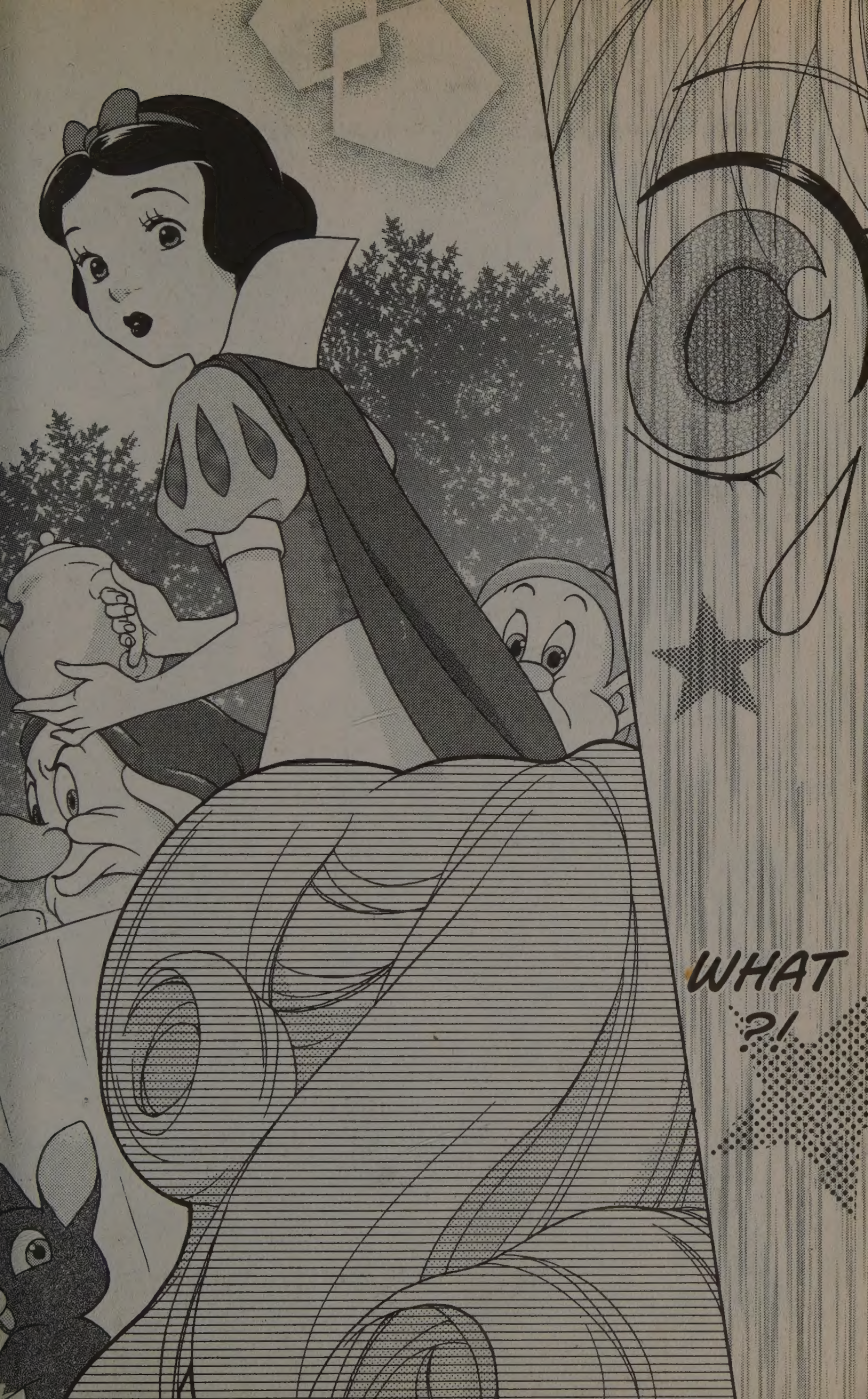
EEK!



NO  
WAY!

I'M IN  
SNOW  
WHITE'S  
WORLD!





WHAT  
?!



# STOP!

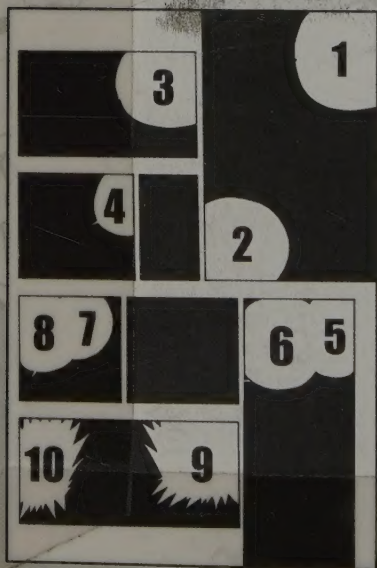
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